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HAPPY OLD AGE.

I feel that age has overta'en
My steps on life's descending way,
But time has left no lingering pain,
No shadow of an evil day;
And you, my children, gather near
To smooth and solace my decline,
And I have hope that your career
Will be as blest as mine.

Not all exempt has been my sky
From threatening storm and lowering cloud,
But sunbursts shed from source on high
Have cheered my spirit when it bowed.
Not all without the shard and thorn
Has been my path from first to last,
But springs of flowers, of Mercy born,
Have soothed me as I passed.

And now my mind, all clear and cool—
As I serenely talk or muse—
Is tranquil as yon glassy pool,
Reflecting autumn's sunset hues.
Time has not dulled my moral sense,
Nor has it dimmed my mental sight
No passions weaken my defence.
No doubts and cares affright.

But Retrospection, even yet,
Will lead me through past trodden ways.
And I remember—why forget?
The magic of my early days;
All nature so divinely wrought,
The unraveled mystery of things.
Awoke me to exalted thought.
And lent my spirit wings.

And I remember how I grew
Up to the sunny noon of youth,
From youth to manhood, till I knew
That love was near akin to truth.
My trials, bravely overcome;
My triumphs, not or purpose vain—
All these with vague but pleasant hum,
Still murmur through my brain.

My children, offspring of a tree
Whose top is hoary with decay,
Whose trunk is shaken as may be
Before it falls and fades away—
Receive what faithful men unfold,
Revere what truthful men proclaim,
And, before Heaven and man, uphold
The honor of my name.

For me, I have no mortal fear,
No trembling as I hurry down;
My way is clear, the end is near,
The goal, the glory, and the crown.
Then shed no bitter tears for me,
As ye consign me to the dust;
Rather rejoice that I shall be
With God, my strength and trust.

Select Miscellany.

BIRTHDAYS.

The birthday, especially to young people is a very "important day." To those who have grown up, and already formed their characters, for good or evil, it is of less consequence, except to remind them that they are one year nearer death and the judgment. But to the boys and girls, a year often produces great changes, in size and stature, in thought, feeling and principle. Life is a great highway or railroad, and these birthdays are the milestones upon it. They seem far apart at first, as the milestones do when the cars first begin to move; as the speed increases they seem more and more frequent. So it is with the years, as they grow up; quicker and quicker they fly, till the last comes shortest and swiftest of all.

Then, little friends, you for whom these milestones are yet far asunder, be persuaded to turn them to a wise account. Allow them to be stopping places, where to inquire if you are in the right, the safe, the best road; to ask whence you came, and whither you are bound how far, you have advanced, and what you propose to accomplish by this journey of life. Look forward, look backward and resolve—for you are not too young if you can read and think—resolve that you will walk in no path but that of the just, the wise the virtuous, which shineth brighter and brighter unto the perfect day, and that each birthday shall find you further on that road which leads to happiness and heaven.

Thus, let the birthday, whether spent in innocent festivity or in the quiet round of ordinary duty, be the best day of all the year; because it gives a quickening impulse to every good resolution and virtuous purpose. So shall you grow up like young Samuel, "in favor both with the Lord and also with men."

A DUTCHMAN'S COMPLAINT.

I dinks much about de war, und de draft, und de rebils, und all dese dings. I dinks about 'em more as about anyding else. Sometimes I sets mits myself all day on de front stoop, und schmokes, und drinks hard cider, und does nothing else only drink: den my vife she gifs me de teufel for drinkin' so much und ses I vos petter go und see arter Jacop, our hired man, und not bodder my head mit more as I can understand. But I tells her what shall vomens know about war; petter she goes und mindts her own pissnesses. I drubies myself more as about Abraham as about Jacop.

Ven I gets tired mit drinkin' on my own stoop, I goes down to Hans Butterfoo's tavern, und I drinks dere, und I tells my opinion, und some odder one tells his opinion, und we makes him out togedder. De odder day begins de draft. Dat bodders me agin. Some goes in for de draft, mostly dem as is too olt, und von't be took demself; some goes agin de draft; und some dont know vich vay to goes, but ony roundt und roundt, und gets boddered like dam so as I do.

But, nefer mind, I dinks I must find dis ding out, und down I goes to Hans Butterfoos, und hears de fellers blo. I don't make nottin' mid dat; dey all blos some odder vay, und I don't dink dey hef him rite in der own mindts. So I begins und asks a questchun; und I ses to Bill Puffenshtoek.

"Vot you dinks von de draft, dat it is right?

And ses Bill: "No, I dinks et ain't right."

Vell I don't believe him, caus he sheated me vonce mit a blind mare he sells on me. So I dries agin, und shpeaks mit Fritz Hoekensplicer.

"Fritz," I ses, "vot you dinks von de draft ef it is right or not?"

Und Fritz, he ses, dat he dinks it is shust so as it ought to be.

But I don't believes him neder, 'caus he run'd against me last year for de peace of shustice. Und he ish no more good for shquire as my olt cat. So I gifs up asking somebody, und make him out myself.

I dinks in dis style, de reason dey made de draft, is becos dey want sojers. Ef dey don't got no sojers den dey can't bring on de war. Ef dey don't bring on de war den dey don't lick de rebils, den de rebils licks dem. Ef de rebils licks dem den we all go to ter tuyfel. Dat pooty straight. So mooch.

Now I must dink of some more; vot is de next ding? I dinks dat's all rite; but I shtops, someding else comes. Let me sees. Oh, yes; dry hundred dollars—dadt's de ding—dey all blos about de dry hundred dollars. I dinks so myself. Dry hundred dollars don't licks de rebils no more as dry hundred cents. Vot's the goot dollars; petter a goot, shmart sojer, like my Shorge, he licks the reblis more as six hundred dollars, yes. Now I knows more as Bill Puffenshtoek and Fritz Hockenshplicer, both togedder.—We want de sojers, not de money. Dat's where de bodder is. We putty soon makes money enough; but paper sojers is only good mit wooden guns, so when de draft comes und ven man ses here is dry hundred dollars, I shtays behindt und don't fight the rebils, den if I was de draft I takes dat man by his preeches und I ses go to ter tuyfel mit your dollars, und come along mit me like some odder man as has got no dollars, und don't like to go sojerin so bad as vot you do, den pooty soon I gits so much as I vants, dats my idears. I tells my olt vomen if dey drafts me I goes myself. To be sure, I don't dink dey vill, 'caus I am more as fifty years; but nefer mind. I should go a long while, like my Shorge, ony dere's two dings I don't like und von is de marshin und de udder is de fitin. I sooner marches down to Hans Butterfoos und fights dere. Ef Sheff Davis comes dere on me, I gifs him dam, you better had believe; but if I goes to Richmond may be Sheff Davis he gives me dam. So, onyhow, I shtays home. De odder day, my Shorge he comes back mit a furlow. He is so much a corporal as ever he was, und I shpeaks mit him about dese dings, und I gifs you now what he says:

"Shorge," I ask him, "you've bin mit de rebils, und mit the army, und mit olt Abe. und dese fellows, vot you dinks von dis draft dat all de peeples blos about?"

"Und he ses to me: "Oh, tunder!"

Vell, dats his opiniuns. May be he shall know somedings too. He's pooty shmart since he goes for a sojer. He shwears like a man six foots high, und calls mudder "olt voman," und he calls me "cap," und kisses de gals, und calls Jacop "dam fool," I dinks he gets some high offis before de war is gone.

GOTLEIB KLOBBERYOSS.

☞ To be a woman of fashion is one of the easiest things in the world. A late writer thus describes it. Buy everything you don't want, and pay for nothing you get; smile on all mankind but your husband; pe happy everywhere but at home; neglect your children and nurse lap dogs; go to church every time you get a new dress."

SLIGHTLY ACQUAINTED.

Several years ago the —th Regiment United States Regulars were quartered at A——, near Niagara Falls. Among the privates of that gallant regiment was B——, a tall, lank, red haired Vermonter, who was always in some scrape or other. One day he obtained leave to take a day's shooting on the Canada side. He went early in the morning, and hunted all day with very poor success. Late in the afternoon he was slowly wending his way home, ill pleased with his poor success when he saw seated on a tree within easy shooting distance a large crow. To level his gun and fire was the impulse of a moment, and down tumbled the crow almost at his feet. Now it happened that the crow was a tame one, and a pet of Gen. C——, who was one of the wealthiest lan-downers in Canada, and who owned the property on which B—— stood.—And it so happened that the general was an unseen witness of the death of his favorite. Enraged at its loss he determined to punish the offender in a manner that he would be likely to remember.

So coming forward in a very friendly manner, he nodded to B——, who saluted him in return.

"You've got a fine gun there," said the general.

"Yass," said B——, handing it to the general; "that's the very neatest double-barrelled gun around these diggings."

The general turned the gun around and examined it carefully, then putting the barrel, still loaded at full cock to his shoulder, and pointing it at B——, said:

"You have willfully shot the greatest favorite I had, and now *you've got to eat it.*"

B—— explained, and begged and prayed, but to no purpose; the general was unmoved by his entreaties, and told him he must eat it or die. B—— once more turned his eyes piteously towards the general, but the cold, wicked eye glanced along the gun-barrel convincing him (as he afterwards said) that there was fire in it. So with a groan he picked up the crow, and shutting his eyes, commenced his disagreeable meal. He worried down three or four mouthfuls, and then stopped, unable to eat more of the disgusting carrion; and the general, thinking he had gone far enough told him that would do; and after advising him to be more careful in future what he shot, handed him his gun and told him he could go. As soon as B—— got his gun in his hand he turned fiercely upon the general, and said:

"Its my turn now. You eat the remainder of the crow."

In vain the general stamped, and swore, and finally prayed to be left off. B—— was as firm as he himself had been a few minutes before. Nothing would satisfy the enraged soldier but that the general should eat the whole of what was left, and which he had to do before B—— left him off.

The next day the general went to B——'s colonel, and complained that he had been grossly insulted by one of his soldiers the day previous.

The colonel inquired what one.

"Why," said the general, "he was a tall, lean, ill-favored fellow, with light red hair."

"Ha!" said the colonel, "I know him; he's always in some scrape. Orderly bring B—— here immediately."

In a few moments the orderly returned, bringing B——, who was wondering what scrape he was in now.

"B——," said the colonel, "do you know this gentleman?"

"What! me?" said B——, looking as amazed as possible.

"Yes," said the colonel, "do you know him?"

"Yes, we are slightly acquainted," said B—— (a happy thought striking him) "*We dined heartily together yesterday.*"

The general could hold in no longer; but bursting into a hearty laugh told the colonel to let him go, as he heartily forgave him.

DON'T GET IN DEBT.—Debt is a perfect bore. How it haunts a man from pillar to post—lurking in the breakfast cup—poisoning his dinner—embittering his tea!—now it stalks from him like a living skeleton, seeming to announce its presence by recounting the amount of his liabilities. How it poisons his domestic joys, by introducing its "balance" into the calculation of madam, respecting the price of a new carpet or a dress. How it hinders dreamy plans for accumulations.—How it hampers useless energies—cripples resolutions too good to be fulfilled.

☞ P. T. Barnum is the happy possessor of a five horned ram, which resides not at the Museum, but at his farm. At a recent cattle show he labelled the animal "An intemperate sheep which has taken at least three horns too much."

☞ Jones complained of a bad smell about the post-office, and asked Brown what it could be? Brown didn't know, but suggested that it might be caused by the "dead letters."

A RED-TAPE STORY.

I remember a poor old loafer who was familiarly known to the people round about Cheshire, Mass., by the saccharine title of Sweet Bill. Now Sweet Bill was a strange, half-crazy fellow, yet posessed of wit of no common order, though, from his ways of life, it was naturally rough and unpolished. Sweet Bill was a great visitor of the tavern, where his grotesque ways and ready repartee always predisposed the visitor in his favor, and, as a consequence, Sweet Bill was generally under the influence, or, to speak more charitably, predisposed to the influence of liquor.

One cold day, previous to Thanksgiving, Sweet Bill cast his eyes on a remarkably fat turkey belonging to the squire. Bill had a toothsome relish for fowls, and although impecuniosity prevented its indulgence very frequently, his ardor for turkey dinners was none abated because of his inability.

On the day in question, however, Sweet Bill was fully determined on enjoying his favorite dish, despite the fact that he had no turkey, and worse still, no money wherewith one was to be procured; still he faltered not in his determination. I have said that he cast longing eyes upon a peculiarly fat specimen belonging to the squire, and one can imagine how the inner man of this same Sweet Bill arose and clapped his hands, when at length through his brain flushed the lucky scheme by which the coveted fowl was to be placed at his disposal.

The evening previous to Thanksgiving, Sweet Bill crept noiselessly into the barnyard, and finding himself unobserved, proceeded to tie a red cord about the leg of the doomed turkey. How this was going to secure him the coveted prize, the world, had it observed the action, could never have surmised; but Sweet Bill, in his heart of hearts, knew well enough, and marked out every line of a plan drawn with mathematical accuracy, and mathematically certain success.

Thanksgiving morning came; a clear, frosty morning, with air bright and vivifying as the champagne air of Paris.—The squire, warmly clothed, and with a homely yet fragrant pipe thrust between his teeth, stood upon the piazza of his house, complacently contemplating his "paternal acres" and the bounteous good of nature, when Sweet Bill came lounging by, with much gravity upon his singular features. The following colloquy ensued:

"Good mornin', squire."

"Good morning, Bill."

"Nice day, squire."

"Beautiful, Bill."

"I say, squire, hev you seen a stray turkey 'round here this mornin'?"

"Haven't noticed one. Why?"

"Well, my turkey strayed off last night and I'm hunting him up. I heered he was seen up around your barn-yard.—Guess he's in among your fowls, squire."

"It may be so. Come along we'll look."

"Thankee, squire."

"Could you recognise him, Bill?"

"Course I can," answered Sweet Bill, with a positive air. "I was afeered he'd stray off somewhere, and so I tied a red string around one of his legs."

Into the barn-yard they went, and sure enough there was the fowl, fat and tempting, and with the cord about his leg. In a moment Sweet Bill had him under his arm, and marched off triumphantly.

A month or so afterwards he revealed the joke to the squire, who readily forgave the deception on the score of the good laugh that it afforded him.

THE WORKMAN AHEAD.—A good story is told of a certain prominent railroad gentleman of Philadelphia, who is equally renowned for his ability to make and to take a joke. A railroad employee, whose home is in Avon, came on Saturday night to ask for a pass down to visit his family.

"You are in the employ of the railroad?" inquired the gentleman alluded to.

"Yes."

"You receive your pay regularly?"

"Yes."

"Well now suppose you were working for a farmer instead of a railroad, would you expect your employer to hitch up his team every Saturday night and carry you home?"

This seemed a poser, but it wasn't.

"No," said the man promptly, "I would not expect that, but if the farmer had his team hitched up, and was going my way, I should call him a darned mean cuss if he wouldn't let me ride."

Mr. employee came out three minutes afterwards with a pass good for twelve months.

☞ Patriotism emanates from the heart, fills the soul, infuses itself into the whole man, and speaks and acts the same language. A friend of his country in war will feel, speak and act for his country; revere his country's cause and hate his country's enemies. America wants no friends, acknowledges the fidelity of no citizen, who, after war is declared, condemns the justice of her cause and sympathizes with the enemy. All such are traitors in their hearts.—*Senator Douglas.*

THE NICE GIRL.

There is nothing half so sweet in life, half so beautiful or delightful, or so loveable as a "nice girl." Not a pretty, or a dashing, or an elegant girl, but a nice girl. One of those lovely, lively, good-tempered, good-hearted, sweet-faced, amiable, neat, domestic creatures met within the sphere of home, diffusing around the domestic hearth the influence of her goodness like the essence of sweet flowers.

A nice girl is not the languishing beauty, dawdling on a sofa, and discussing the last novel or opera; or the giraffe-like creature sweeping majestically through a drawing-room. The nice girl may not even dance or play well, and knows nothing about "using her eyes," or coquetting with a fan. She is not given to sensation novels, she is too busy. At the opera, she is not in front showing her bare shoulders, but sits quietly and unobtrusively—at the back of the box most likely. In fact, it is not often in such scenes we discover her.—Home is her place.

Who rises betimes, and superintends the morning meal? Who makes the toast and the tea, and buttons the boys' shirts, and waters the flowers, and feeds the chickens, and brightens up the parlor and sitting room? Is it the languisher, or the giraffe, or the *elegant?* Not a bit of it—it's the nice girl.

Her unmade toilet is made in the shortest possible time, yet how charmingly it is done, and how elegant her neat dress and plain color! What kisses she distributes among the family! No presenting a cheek or a blow, like a "fine girl," but an audible smack, which says plainly: "I love you ever so much." If I ever coveted anything, it is one of the nice girl's kisses.

Breakfast over, down in the kitchen to see about dinner; always cheerful and light-hearted. She never ceases to be active until the day is done, when she will polka with the boys, and sing old songs, and play old tunes to her father for hours together. She is a perfect treasure, is the nice girl, when illness comes; it is she that attends with unwearying patience to the sick chamber. There is no risk, no fatigue that she will not make. She is all love, all devotion. I have often thought it would be happiness to be ill, to be watched by such loving eyes and tended by such fair hands.

One of the most strongly marked characteristics of a "nice girl" is tidiness and simplicity of dress. She is ever associated in my mind with a high frock, plain collar, and the neatest of neck ribbons, bound with the most modest little brooch in the world. I never knew a nice girl who displayed a profusion of rings and bracelets, or who wore low dresses or a splendid bonnet.

I say again, there is nothing in the world half so beautiful, half so intrinsically good, as a "nice girl." She is the sweetest flower in the path of life. There are others far more stately, far more gorgeous, but these we merely admire as we go by. It is where the daisy grows that we lie down to rest.

HONESTY.—A Quaker, once passing through a market, stopped at a stall and inquired the price of citrons.

"I have none," said the honest farmer, "that will suit; they are decayed, and their flavor is gone."

"Thank thee, friend, I will go to the next stand."

"Hast thou good fruit to-day?" he said to the the dealer.

"Yes, sir; here are some of the finest nut-megs of my garden. They are small but rich of their kind."

"Then canst thou recommend them?"

"Certainly, sir."

"Very well, I will take two."

He carried them home, and they proved not only unsound, but miserably tasteless. The next morning he went again to the same place. The man who sold him the fruit the previous day asked him if he would have any more.

"Nay, friend, thou hast deceived me once, and now, although thou mayets speak the truth, still I cannot trust thee; but thy neighbor chose to deal rightly with me, and I shall henceforth be his patron. Thou wouldst do well to remember this, and learn by experience that a lie is a base thing in the beginning, and a very unprofitable one in the end."

A PUZZLED JUSTICE. A man named Josh was brought before a country Squire for stealing a hog, and three witnesses, being examined, swore they saw him steal it. A wag having volunteered as counsel for Josh, knowing the scope of the Squire's brain, arose and addressed him as follows:

"May it please your Honor, I can establish this man's honesty beyond the shadow of a doubt; for I have twelve witnesses ready to swear that they did not see him steal it."

The Squire rested his head for a few moments upon his hand, as if in deep thought, and with great dignity arose, and, brushing back his hair, said:

"If there are twelve who did not see him steal it, and only three who did, I discharge the prisoner."

HOW A LIAR WAS TAUGHT TO TELL THE TRUTH.

On a certain occasion, while a medical professor was engaged delivering practical lectures to the public, a gawky thought he had devised a mode of turning the laugh against the doctor. He mounted the stage, and being questioned about his disorder, said, gravely—

"Why, I'm a liar!"

"Sad disorder, sir, but perfectly curable," said the doctor.

"Well," said the man, "but I've a worse complaint than that—I've lost my memory."

"Quite curable, also," added the doctor; "but I must make my preparations. Come again after dinner, and I will be ready for you; but pay down seventy-five cents."

The man, who intended to have his fun gratis, refused; but the doctor declared he never let any one down from the stage till he paid something. "Beside," said the doctor, "how can I trust you? You say you are a liar, and have no memory; so you will either break your promise or forget all about it." A loud laugh from the audience expressed their acquiescence in the justice of the claim, and the poor fool was compelled to lay down the cash. No one supposed he would come again, but he still hoped that he might turn the tables, and presented himself at the appointed hour. The doctor received him with great gravity, and addressing the audience, said:

"Gentlemen you may think it a joke, but I assure you, on the honor of a gentleman, that it is a very serious affair; and I hereby engage to return the money if the audience do not acknowledge the cure, and I am entitled to the reward."

The man sat down, and was furnished with a glass of water. The doctor produced a box of flattened black pills, and to show that they were pefectly harmless, offered to swallow three or four himself.—He then gave one of them to the man, who, after many wry faces, bit into it, started up, spitting, and exclaimed:

"Why, hang me, if it ain't cobbler's wax!"

"There," said the doctor, lifting up both hands, "did anybody ever witness so sudden, so miraculous a recovery! He is evidently cured of lying, for he has told the truth instantly; and the memory, my good fellow," continued he, patting him on the back, "if you ever forget this, call on me, and I'll return the money."

We guess the young man will never have occasion to apply for the return of his money. He evidently considers that doctor "a bad egg" to trifle with.

WORKING GIRLS.—Happy girls—who cannot love them! With cheeks like the rose, bright eyes and elastic step, how cheerfully they go to work. Our word for it, such girls will make excellent wives. Blessed indeed will men be who secure such prizes. Contrast those who do nothing but sigh all day and live to follow the fashions; who never earn the bread they eat, or the shoes they wear; who are languid and lazy from one week's end to another. Who, but a simpleton and a popinjay would prefer one of the latter, if he were looking for a companion? Give us the working girls. They are worth their weight in gold. You never see them mincing along, or jumping a dozen feet to steer clear of a spider or fly. They have no affectation, no silly airs about them. When they meet you, they speak without putting on a half dozen airs, or trying to show off to a better advantage, and you feel as if you were talking to a human being, and not to a painted or fallen angel.

If girls knew how sadly they miss it, while they endeavor to show off their delicate hands and unsoiled skin, and put on a thousand airs, they would give worlds for the situation of the working ladies, who are above them in intelligence, in honor, in everything, as the heavens are above the earth.

☞ A lady who had boasted highly, at a dinner party, of the good manners of her little darling, addressed him thus: "Charley, my dear, won't you have some beans?" "No!" was the ill-mannered reply of the petulant cherub. "No what?" "No beans," said the child.

☞ Charcoal put to the roots of dahlias and other flowering plants will redden them vividly; flowers nearly white being thus turned to a deep red, sometimes altogether, and sometimes mixed with the lighter hue in half a dozen varieties from one and the same root.

☞ Prentice laughs at the heading, "Astounding robbery," which frequently appears in connection with some fraud on the Government. He says he occasionally sees of astounding honesty, but robbery no longer astounds.

☞ To love and to labor is the sum of living; and yet how many think they live who neither labor nor love.

☞ Intemperance is the road to ruin.

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ALTOONA, PA.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4, 1863.

THE QUESTION SETTLED.—By reference to a decision of Provost Marshal General Fry, published in another column, it will seen that the President has ordered that "every citizen who has paid the $300 commutation shall receive the same credit therefor as if he had furnished a substitute, and was exhonerated from military service for the time for which he was drafted, to wit: for three years." This, then, settles the question as to whether a man who has been drafted and paid his $300 is liable to be drafted a second time, ere the three years have expired. We have always been of the opinion that the payment of $300 exempted a man for the time for which he was drafted, but as there was considerable dispute on the point we did notcare to mix in, as arguments amounted to nothing, and we felt sure that we should soon have a decision from head-quarters in reference to the matter. Those who have paid their $300, but were still trembling in their boots, lest the 5th of January draft should catch them again, may now sleep soundly.

☞ The militia force of the Northern States is put down by the Washington *Chronicle* at 3,000,000, or that many males between the ages of 20 and 45, subject, however, to a deduction for exempts. The enrolled militia of Pennsylvania are as one to six of the total population. This proportion would give 400,000 of men between the ages of 18 and 45. This, in a call for half a million of men, would take one in eight liable to militia duty. The rebels keep proclaiming that they will exhaust the North and end the war for want of material to carry it on. But the work of exhausting, as these facts show, will use the rebellion up, taking its own fighting population into account, before they have gone half through with it.

THE GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION.—We publish to-day a proclamation issued by Governor Curtin, in which he earnestly calls upon the people of Pennsylvania to enlist in the service of the United States, so that the quota of our State may be made up before the fifth of Jannary, and a draft avoided. The quota of the State is 38, 268. Veterans who enlist will receive $402 bounty, and one month's advance pay; others than veterans will receive one month's pay in advance, and $302 bounty. Information can be obtained from the provost Marshals of the various districts. It is earnestly hoped that the Governor's call will be promptly responded to.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.—Gov. Curtin has issued a proclamation setting apart the last Thursday of November as a day of thanksgiving. This day having been selected by the President as a national thanksgiving day, we presume it will be observed as such in all the loyal States. A number of Governors have already named it in their proclamation, and urged its observance. No doubt the citizens of Pennsylvania will abstain from all labor on said day, and unite in a general thanksgiving for the numerous blessings that have been bestowed upon us as a people.

NEW YORK ELECTION.—Special despatches to the Pittsburgh *Commercial* announce that the New York election has gone in favor of the Union party. In three wards in New York City the Union increase is seventeen hundred. From 25,000 to 50,000 majority is claimed by the Union party.

MASSACHUSETTS.—The election in this State goes for the Union party by a majority above the expectations of the most sanguine.

NEUTRALITY.—In the works of Shakespeare, we find the following, which we commend to the attention of our readers, who will, doubtless, be able to make an application thereof by the light of events now transpiring:

Ambassador— Our august prince
Doth send us to convey his high congratulations.
King— Yea, returning,
Convey our thanks to the Prince of Cyprè,
Your angust master, for his congratulations;
And in this war, we wage against Cyprus
And our revolted provinces, we hope he will
Adhere to his neutrality. These high
Congratulations he doth send, we
Trow, will not prove void and empty, as
Those sent hither by the king of Cyprus
He, from his island realm to Egypt sends
His sympathy, while from his ports convenient
Sail the galley armed, and pirate crafts, to
Rob, burn, destroy, and bear our banks that trade
With Egyptland: Such hypocrisy and double
Dealing shall meet its just reward. We
Understand the game he plays. Know this affair
Of our revolted provinces is quelled,
He shall (for this attention) have. Then, woe
Be to him and his. For every unsuspecting
Sail destroyed, for every galley burnt, he
Shall return four-fold, or, by all the gods
Of Egypt, he rules no more in Cyprus.

Letter from "Augustus Sontag."

Our trip over the Erie R. R.—Getting up stairs at the St. Nicholas Hotel—Going up the Hudson River—West Point Calliope music and the echoes, &c., &c.

CATSKILL MOUNTAIN HOUSE, Oct., 1863.

With deep regret we bid "good bye" to the unequaled scenery, variety and realities of Niagara, to seek new objects of interest along the Erie Railroad, the "Hudson," the "Catskills," and the hills of "Ulster." We left Buffalo by the morning train, for New York city, and had a delightful trip. The New York and Erie Railroad is a comfortable route, andthe scenery cannot be surpassed, especially on that portion of the route passing over the "Gennessee Falls". Its conductors are gentlemen of the "first water," especially Mr. Harris, who is a "Budget of Fun" that need not be published oftenand, who, in passing through his train bestows a pleasant smile upon every attention paid, winning the admiration of all his passengers. We were sorry when he left us at twelve o'clock, midnight, and we were ushered into the noisy and bustling streets of Gotham. Coming to New York just now is something like going to Newport, Saratoga, or any other fashionable watering places during the heighth of "the season," when you may count yourself lucky if you have the first week's chance to sleep under the dining-tables, trusting that the second week you will be promoted and "git up stairs." We got figures placed in front of our names that would, decidedly, be a caution to the gentleman who "viewed from Pisgah's heighth the promised land." Little "Blossom" remarked "that the day was very fine," and was somewhat anxious to know what kind of weather they had *down in New York*.—But her reverie was soon interrupted by the entrance of a Frenchman from Belfast—bearing upon his shoulders the "North River trunk," in which "Blossom" was soon—by the aid of a step-ladder—emerged, and in pursuit of—we don't know what. We are informed that the St. Nicholas Hotel actually clears $100,000 a year!

But while theses speculations have been indulged in, the fog of the morning had cleared away, and the prospect of a "golden day" on the "Hudson" river grows brigther; so my dear reader we invite you to go with us on board the elegant boat "Daniel Drew" and spend the day skimming over the beautiful and picturesque "Hudson." We have now passed Fort Lee, of the Picnicks, and Fort Washington of the Bennetts, and the grand old palisades throw out every chink and crany of their bold, square summits to the cloud-shadowed sun. Here a range of rocky pinnacles lie in a dusk almost like night, and there a group have caught the full glow of the sun and stand warm and yellow under view. The trees on their tops look like stunted shrubbery, and the houses at their feet nestle down close to the water as if the rocks behind them were a terror that at any moment might topple over and they would then be obliged to take to the softer element for protection. Little "Blossom" brings into requisition the opera-glass with which she used to scan Medon at the opera, and—oh, fie, that such budding lips should tell such terrible stories!—declares that she can see them cooking the late breakfast in one of the houses, detect the sputtering of the griddle-cake and see an old woman shelling the podded green peas, in one of the corners, for dinner! Then there is a shuddering reference to the Reindeer and Henry Clay calamity, and a quick glance at the remains of the little dock at "Yonkers," and a thought how the church scorns and dwarfs the Theatre, as the nunnery on the heigths is seen frowning down upon Forest's belittled and abandoned castle.—Then we sweep on and on, the sunlight growing brighter and brighter and the river widening towards "Haverstraw Bay," while pleasant groups of persons, who have never met before, gather at the port side of the steamer and exchange notes of travel, hunting up intimacy through an opera-glass meanwhile; and the harp, (when the landings are not in sight) and the caliope—which makes a little better music than its twin sister on Lake Erie—is kept in requisition, keeping little "Blossom" all the while humming over snatches of favorite operas and fragments of pet ballads. There are but few boats on this river, though occasionally a cumbrously-loaded lumber sloop will sweep by, throwing back the reverberatioas of our wheels from her deformity of cargo, and at still larger intervals, one of the tall-piped river tow-boats will come laboring down surrounded by such a swarm of barges and canal boats clinging to her that she seems to be temporarily in the rebel service, making a raid into the floating commerce of the canals and the Hudson, and conveying "away down South to Dixie" everything that can be eaten, or worn or burned. And here comes the Highlands, little "Blossom"—the Rhine and cliffs of America, one of the noblest and grandest passes of rivers through mountains that the geography will show you in many a long day of study. They have been looming up darkly before us for the last hour—now we are at their feet and beginning to thread the tortuous course of the Rock Gate of the North. Look to the left and see that low, comical knoll, scarcely too large for one of the humpbacked rocks of the Alleghenies, and covered with stunted herbage and shrubbery, a white dwarf light-house and straggling groups of arbor vitæ. Not much to charm the eye or command attention, in the view, and yet the sudden start which little "Blossom" gives when the magic word is uttered, has been shared in by many a thousand of those who love the history of our nation's birth; for this is "Stony Point," and no nobler work of valor was ever done, even at Monterey, Chapultepec, Roanake Island, Fair Oaks, Fredericksburg, or that glorious fight on the Pennsylvania hills near Gettysburg, from which the shrieks and groans of torture have scarcely yet ceased to go up to Heaven—than one dark and stormy night of the Revolution saw, when Mad Anthony Wayne and his handful of men scrambled up those slippery rocks under a plunging fire and made themselves doubly immortal. Now we are in the midst of the "Highlands" proper, with the rocky giants enclosing us around on every side and that sensation growing upon every passenger which has so often been commented upon, and yet so difficult to describe. Were I a Macauley I would write volumes upon this scene to hand down to the coming generations. Were I a Burns or a Bryon I would weave sonnets to its praise that Italy or Switzerland would covet. The old remark is heard over and over again, "that there *cannot* be a passage through these mountains," and that the little steamer must intend to make a tunnel borer of herself and go plowing through the side of some one of them.—To the left and ahead lies "Cro' Nest," with the shadow lying warm in its bosom. On either hand, to the right and the left, rise Breakneck and Butler hills; while farther on to the right is the bold front of St. Anthony's nose, with a turned up propensity in the saint's nasal organ, which seems to have increased with years and may be induced by disgust at the condition of national affairs generally. A little further in the middle of the "Horse-Race" the tunnel of the Hudson River Road showing like a gigantic rat hole through the base of a sharp cliff ahead and to the right, and the background to the left fading away into first glimpses of the far away hills of "Orange." And see!—to make the resemblance to an old painting we once seen more perfect, at this moment a sloop and a schooner working slowly up the river drop into the exact position there indicated, and a train at the railroad—*a la* "nona sigma"—that has been snorting and puffing for half an hour at the different stations below, dashes into view, gives a shriek, a roar and a rattle, which may be intended for defiance to any kind of moving body that cannot go any faster than a steamboat—then plunges into the tunnel and disappears, throwing out a long wreath of smoke that comes whirling back and floats, tangled in the trees, up the side of the mountain. And now "West Point" comes into view, and the first glimpse is eagerly sought after by some of the voyagers who have never before ascended the Hudson, and that wonderful opera-glass is in great demand to catch better glimpses from a distance of that ruined line of sloping, cream-colored wall with the sharp corners, grown up inside with arbor vitæ, which crowns the hills far ahead and to the left. Then the new castle of the giant Sparrowgrass breaks into view, saucily crowning a height where it seems to hang over the river, and looking very much, to an observant passenger, as if it might be an extensive summer hotel, kept by a tasty wine merchant with literary tendencies.—Behind it and farther on stands a cluster of brown buildings, one of them surmounted by a dome, and trim roads sweeping up towards them from the river. This is the West Point Military Academy, a name so intimately connected with the military glory of our country that little "Blossom" reddens with anger and pats her foot ominously, and Sontag has a serious intention of making a fool of himself by throwing somebody into the river, when a thin young man, with sandy moustache, on a short leave of absence, intimates that "West Point and the officers it raises are all humbugs." The remark may be true, perhaps, but if there is any greater humbug in nature than the fact of that young man being in personal existence at all, some of us have failed to make the discovery. Anon, we sheer sharply in to the left, almost under the overhanging "Cozzens," and approach the little dock, that lies at the foot of the steep road that comes down from the Military Academy. A few loiterers, one or two in military undress, are on the wharf, and two or three stages, labeled for "Roes" and "Cozzens" are waiting to toil up with visitors who wish to sojourn in a military atmosphere. Now it is that we first begin to discover what the Calliope is made for, as the dragoon Gen. Harney did what was the use of his long, gangling trooper when he sent him out after buffalo. It is especially designed as company through the "Highlands." Two or three times, while coming up through the "Horse Race," it has given fitful and temporary squeals; but now when approaching the dock and while lying at it to land and receive passengers, it shouts and bellows away with an energy worthy of its antique namesake. The steamer lies immediately against the bank, her twin pipes so near to the verdure-clad, perpendicular cliff that the branches of the trees almost sway upon them, and the organist peals out wild snatches of melody of every description, varying from the "miserere" to the "Devil's Dream," and to each such a reply is made in echo that all previous experiences of reverberations grow to be trifles. The notes rattle against the rocks, and peal through the branches, and tangle among one another as if they had the legs with which they are representented on the musical scale, and go off into wild, truant absences among the higher crags, and come bustling and shouting back again like so many school boys, and play altogether such fanatical musical tricks that little "Blossom," who has had years of fun with the echoes among the Cove mountains, finds a new sensation here, albeit there is only one repetition of each note—claps her hands in delight and begs to be taken immediately to Woodbury, without waiting for the steamboat, so that she and *Sadie King* can commence carricaturing the new discovery upon the piano. Then the musician ceases any attempt at playing and merely runs up and down the scale, pausing an instant between each cluster of notes to allow the echo to be heard, and there is no more entanglement of confusion, but every remembered sound in the universe, from the hunters horn to the wail of the funeral trumpet and the ringing of choir music through the great trees of the backwoods or the columned aisles of old St Clements, is heard in a perfection that only Echo Lake can pretend to rival. The last trunk is on board and the steamer swings away from the dock, and is once more in motion. The Calliope ceases ejecting music discursively and plays a connected melody. But—shades of all the departed heroes of all the American wars!—what is it that the Calliope plays under the eaves of the Military Academy? Nothing more and nothing less than "When this Cruel War is Over," at which fairy "Blossom" pouts, and considers the melody a reflection on "West Point" and the war for the Union, and marks down the musician as a more or less malignant copperhead, according to sex. She has occasion to notice another striking incongruity in the management of the instrument, when high up the river it bellows out "Rock me to sleep Mother" in such an unreasonable burst of melodies as would waken all the babies—to say nothing about the whining of curs—within twenty miles radius, instead of soothing one to slumber, whereupon she recalls her opinion of the invisible musician, and sets him—or her—down as merely a severe satirist who vents rough reflections, that might be cruel in words, through the more harmless medium of the pipes of a steam-organ. And speaking of "Rock me to sleep Mother," that almost comes to us like a revelation when we think how tenderly our mother cared for us. We thank "Florence Percy" who wrote this song—and whose wedded life has been so bright and brief—for this noble effusion of sentiment. Ah, well! sculptors were born to die and poetesses to grieve, or neither would become immortal.

A short run across "Tappan Bay" or more properly "Tappan Z," then a stop at Newburg, that "city set upon a hill," looking up the steep street of which "Blossom" remarks that she never before knew the blessing of being something else than a dray-horse, while a corpulent chap over on the other side of the boat remarked that "he once got the best dinner and ate the best Orange county butter there that he ever tasted in his life," and Sontag makes a mental note that some of the cars standing on a parallel to the river have the lettering of the Erie Railway, which have a branch extending to this point. We cross the "Tappan" and the river narrows, and the brown hills of "Ulster" loom to the left while Ponghkeepsie sits enthroned on the hills of Duchess to the right—that part of the town which is visible from the steamboat landing, seems to be written all over with magic words, similar to what we were brougt in contact with on "Goat Island." A few minutes afterwards we round "Crumb Elbow," a bold, rocky point extending into the river on the left, when—what is that long blue line, "Blossom"—that long blue line, irregular in heighth, and impalpable as the clouds in substance, laying far away on the west of the river, and seeming to still every voice as one after another of the passengers catch it and realize what the vision must be.—That loom is the Catskill Mountains forty miles away—a beautiful and yet stately presence that haunted some of us in by-gone years, like something divinely awful, looking down on the errors and vices of humanity and forbidding the hand when lifted in vice or violence. A few miles further and the line becomes less misty and indistinct. The dim blue surface becomes flecked and broken by shimmering indications of foliage and the duskier spots made by deep ravines. Then, with the aid of the inevitable opera-glass, and at length with the naked eye, a white speck is seen two-thirds up the height and relieved against the northernmost mountain of the range. It broadens rapidly as we near it, and soon the naked eye can trace the sharp outlines of roof and of corner and even of the heavy white columns that stud the front. This is the Catskill Mountain House, and not only one of the most elevated of the resorts of pleasure seekers on this continent, but a monument to taste and enterprise. And we halt here for a few hours, so adieu for to-day,

AUGUSTUS SONTAG.

Attempted Insurrection in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 1.—An extraordinary case of treason has recently come to light, implicating several persons in this city, Columbus, Covington and Newport, in conspiring to release the prisoners at Camp Chase and overthrow the State Government. The conspiracy was brought to light by United State detectives, who were supposed by the parties implicated to be spies from the Rebel army, and were treated with full confidence.

The plot, as disclosed to the detectives, was that an attack was to be made on Camp Chase, release the prisoners confined, 3500 in number, to seize the arsenal at Columbus, take possession of the Penitentiary, release John Morgan and other officers confined there, and then to commence the Rebel campaign in Ohio.

United States Marshal Sands and Provost Marshal Major Reaney, arrested the following prisoners, implicated in the plot:—Chas. W. H. Cathcart, of Columbus, formerly School Commissoner of Ohio; J. D. Crossop, of Columbus, formerly sutler, Eighteenth Regulars, who were to lend in the attack on Camp Chase; James D. Patton, of Covington, regular agent of the Rebel Government, who furnished money to the detectives under the impression that they were spies and according to the agreement were to meet Cathcart and others at Camp Chase, and assisted to mature the plan of attack on Camp Chase; Ruth McDonald, of Covington, who acted as mail-carrier through the Rebel lines, and whose house was the head-quarters of the Rebels; Samuel P. Thomas, a merchant tailor of Cincinnati, and his wife, and Catharine Parmenter, of Cincinnati. Information has been obtained that an organization exists in Illinois, awaiting the out break in Ohio, to procure similar results in that State.

Mrs. Parmenter was a washerwoman at the United States barracks in Newport, and a go-between of the prisoners and outside emissaries. The detectives gained her confidence and that of Mrs. McDonald and became parties to their plans. They all met freqently at Thomas' house.—Thomas furnished money to buy axes and chloroform to release the prisoners, and furnished a disguise to the detective who traveled between the Columbus and Cincinnati confederates. He visited Columbus frequently and conferred with Cathcart and others there, and was in conference with him when arrested. The plan of release at Camp Chase was as follows: When the prisoners saw a beacon light at a certain point, they should be ready. The guard would be shot by their outside friends, and axes would be thrown over to them. Once out, with axes and arms provided, they were to storm the Penitentiary, release Morgan and the other officers, and strike for the Ohio river and cross near Maysville. Cathcart was to go along, receiving a commission in the Rebel army for his reward.

Cathcart was arrested at Rev. Sabin Hough's house. Hough is the secessionist to whom Vallandigham wrote in 1861 that "the Union was hopelessly divided." Cathcart was from Dayton and one of Vallandigham's particular friends and admirers.

Wild as the scheme is, there seems to be abundant evidence that it was to have been tried a week ago; but the plans miscarred them. Other arrests are to be made. It is not known how extensive the organization for this infernal business was.

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS, The President of the United States, by Proclamation, bearing date on the Seventeenth day of Oct. inst., has called for THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND VOLUNTEERS, to recruit the regiments now in the field from the respective States; *And whereas*, By information received this day, the quota of the State of Pennsylvania under said call is declared to be THIRTY-EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT MEN, (38,268;) *And whereas*; The President, in his said Proclamation, requests the Governors of the respective States to assist in raising the force thus required:

Now, Therefore, I, ANDREW G. CURTIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do earnestly call on the good and loyal freemen of the Commonwealth, to enlist in the service of the United States, under the Proclamation aforesaid, so that the quota may be made up before the Fifth day of January next, on which day the President announces that a draft will commence for any deficiency that may then exist in the same.

The freemen of Pennsylvania enlisting under this call will be attatched to regiments from this State. All who are willing to enlist are requested to present themselves at once, for that purpose, to the United States Provost Marshal, recruiting and mustering offices in the respective cities, towns and counties. They will receive the following sums as allowance, pay, premium and bounty, viz:

To every recruit who is a *veteran volunteer*, as defined in General Orders of the War Department of June 25, 1863, No. 191, for recruiting *veteran volunteers*, one month's pay in advance, and a bounty and premium amounting to $402. To all other recruits, not veterans, accepted and enlisted as required in existing Orders, one month's pay in advance, and in addition a bounty and premium amounting to $302.

Any further information desired can be obtained from the Provost Marshals of the respective districts.

In making this appeal to the good and loyal freemen of Pennsylvania, I feel entire confidence that it will be effectually responded to. The approaching expiration of the term of enlistment of the men now in the field renders it necessary to replenish our regiments. Let us maintain the glory which their valor and conduct have reflected on the Commonwealth, and let our people show, by their promptness and alacrity on this occasion, that they have not abated in courage or love of country, or in the determination that the unholy rebellion, already stunned and staggering, shall be utterly crushed and extinguished.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at Harrisburg, this twenty-eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-eight.

L. S.

By the Governor: A. G CURTIN.
ELI SLIFER, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

ANDREW JOHNSON'S VIEWS.—The New York *World's* Nashville correspondent says:

"At a meeting held at the Capitol on Saturday evening last, to congratulate on the Republican election in the North, Gov. Johnson spoke of the freedom of Tennessee in the future. He adduced many facts to disprove the assertion that slavery was necessary to the culture of cotton and sugar, and advocated the policy of leasing or letting out in small leaseholds the extensive plantations on the lower Mississippi. He dilated upon the fine natural advantages of Tennessee and remarked that 'the war would contribute to purge the State of the great curse of slavery, and throw its borders open to the immigration which free labor invites.' He regarded the defeat of Vallandighan as a 'national blessing,' and concluded with advocating a more vigorous prosecution of the war, so that a permanent peace might be entered upon within the coming year."

HOW THEY PASS THEIR TIME.—The rebel prisoners at Port Lookout pass their time in bartering with each other. This traffic is significant only as to the comparative value of the United States and Confederate money, the prices of small articles being among them 5 cents in greenbacks or $2.50 Confederate script. One of the prisoners having erected a mud-brick chimney for an officer, charged $30 in Confederate money for the job, but willingly compromised for 50 cents in United States currency. They sell everything they have, even the shirts and clothing which are furnished by the Government, buying tobacco principally with the proceeds. They also buy Confederate money of each other, and one sergeant has thus accumulated $18,000 of Jeff. Davis's currency.

Important Decision Relative to the Draft.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.

To Col. Robert Nugent, A. A. Provost Marshal General N. Y.

The representations made by Dean Richmond and Peter Cagger, in a printed circular dated Oct. 27th, 1863, in respect to the action of the Provost Marshal General, are untrue. It is not true that the State of New York is charged with a deficiency for every citizen who has paid the three hundred dollars commucation money receiving no credit therefor. On the contrary, the State receives the same credit for a man who has paid commutation, as if the drafted citizen, had gone in person or furnished a substitute, and in like manner towns which have raised the money to pay their quotas receive the same credit as if actual substitutes had been furnished; and the President has ordered that every citizen who has paid the three hundred dollars commutation shall receive the same credit therefor as if he had furnished a substitute and was exonerated from the military service for the time for which he was drafted, to wit: for three years. As the misrepresentations of Dean Richmond and Peter Cagger have been published and circulated, therefore it is proper that you give them immediate correction.

(Signed) JAMES B. FRY.
Provost Marshal General.

☞ The ravages caused by the war in Tennessee are thus graphically described:—"There is a portion of this State so devastated by the civil war as to be practically abandoned by the foot of man. The men are slumbering at Shiloh, Corinth and Stone River; the servants have gained th'eir freedom; the women and children have fled to more retired precincts. Falling in behind the retiring footsteps of humanity come the four-footed beasts and creeping things. The fox makes his burrow under the ruined dwellings where a happy people once dwelt. The serpent crawls under the floor of the church and the school-house. The squirrel chatters and builds his nest upon the locust trees in the old yard, once noisy with the mirth of children. The gum is rotting in the cool spring—the partridge whistles from the ridge-pole of the cabin. The wild bee seeks a storehouse for his honey, fearless of detection by the human eye. All is returning to a state of nature. What a monument of the ravages of war."

☞ A handsome young lady, named Pauline Cushman, said to be a member of the secret army police, stopped a few days at New Haven last week. She has had adventures of the most varied and exciting description. She has crossed the army lines on several occasions, has been in Richmond two or three times, once as a prisoner; has visited Nashville, Chattanooga and Huntsville, Alabama; was once taken prisoner by John Morgan, and advertised to be hung in Nashville as a Federal spy, from all of which perils she escaped by singular cunning, daring and courage. She is an adept ot drawing, and has frequently obtained sketches of the enemy's works.

THE MATCH BETWEEN HEENAN AND KING FOR $10,000.—This event is creating extraordinary interest in sporting circles the like of which can only be found during the anticipated "mill" between Heenan and Sayers. At Tattersall's (London,) about two weeks since, a bet was made on Heenan of $3,000 to $2,000 and taken. The sixteenth deposit of $250 was made at Jemmy Walsh's, in the Borouh; the seventeenth, of $250 was to be made on Thursday last, at Harry Orme's, Shoreditch. It is the intention of Heenan's friends to give him a complimentary benefit before he goes into strict training at Newmarket.

GOING TO RUSSIA.—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says it is authoritatively stated that J. Edger Thomson, Esq., President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, now in New York city, will in a few days embark for Russia with his family, where it is said he goes to fulfill an appointment tendered to him by the Russan Government, through their Minister at Washington. The position is similar in its character to the one he now holds on the Pennsylvania Railroad. Col. Thonas A. Scott will be the acting President of the Company, *ad interim*.

☞ The principal summits of the White Mountains are now covered with snow. Persons who ascended, after the first fall of snow, says the Boston *Transcript*, were richly repaid for their trouble by the magnificent views obtained, and by the striking contrast between the glittering snow on the mountains and the brilliancy of the autumn landscape spread out beneath and around them.

☞ An elderly female of an unprepossessing appearance recently applied for "her rights" at the Bow street police office, London. She said that before he wedded Alexandria, the Prince of Wales had married her; that she lived with him two days; and that the Government had promised her compensation, which she could not get. It was "funny" insanity.

☞ The supply of poultry and game in New York markets, just now is very large, but prices, like the prices of almost everything else, are reaching a beautiful altitude. Turkeys are quoted at 19@20c ₰ lb; chickens 18c.; ducks, 18@20c; partridges, $1,12 per pair; quails, $3 per dozen; woodcock, 62@75c. per pair.

☞ Stewart, the New York merchant prince, will sell $30,000,000 of goods this year. The September sales of cloths for men's wear alone were $700,000; and for the last year in that department alone will be from six to seven millions.

MRS. KING'S SELECT SCHOOL will re-open in the Lutheran Church in West Altoona, on MONDAY, OCTOBER 19th.
Tuition from $4 to $6 per term of 12 weeks.
Drawing, Grecian Painting and Embroidery extra.
October 21, 1863.

LOTS FOR SALE.—The undersigned having a number of Lots in LOGANTOWN, offers a part of them for sale, as follows, to wit:—Lots Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in Block A; Nos. 1 and 4 in Block C; No. 3 in Block G; Nos. 12 and 16 in Block F. Also, the following half lots; No. 1, Block A; Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7, Block B; Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block G; Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block E; Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 13 and 14, Block F; Nos. 1, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block G; Nos. 2, 3, 10, 11, 12 and 13, Block H; Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block I; Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block J; Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 16, Block K; Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 12 and 13, Block L.
They are all situate in LOGANTOWN, adjoining Altoona, and are very desirable for persons wishing to purchase, affording eligible sites for building, and will be offered for sale on reasonable terms. As Altoona is improving and expanding, these Lots are constantly increasing in value, and will in time become quite valuable.
Persons desiring information will please apply to my Attorney, D. J. NEFF, Esq., Altoona.
MARGARET B. MOWRY.
Oct. 14, '63-1m.

AVOID THE NEXT DRAFT! THERE IS A PREVAILING EXCITEMENT among the people of Altoona and vicinity about THE SECOND DRAFT—not so much about the Draft as in having the *Three Hundred to pay exemption*. All patriotic! but choose rather to stay at home with their beloved ones, for their support, than to risk their lives in this bloody war. Now, to bring the matter to a close, we will inform the public that by buying their Goods at the GREEN STORE, Corner of Branch and Annie street, East Altoona, kept by GEIS & CO., they will
SAVE THE THREE HUNDRED
in a short time. They have just received a large and well selected stock of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES, which they are selling for Cash at the lowest living prices.
A large assortment of LADIES' COATS AND CIRCULARS, ranging in price from $4.50 to $12.00.
The attention of the public is particularly drawn to the fact that they are selling Brown and White Muslin from 18 to 45 cents; Calicoes from 12½ to 25 cts.; Delaines from 18 to 35 cents per yard.
They have always on hand a large assortment of MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, and, in fact, everything kept in a first-class Store.
Altoona Oct. 7, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Partnership heretofore existing between John Schmidt and Josephine Riebenack, sole devisee of Roman Riebenack, deceased, has this day been mutually dissolved by agreement. All persons having claims against the firm will present them to John Schmidt for settlement, with whom the books and papers of the firm will be found, at the old stand on Julia Street, Altoona.
JOHN SCHMIDT,
JOSEPHINE RIEBENACK.
Sept. 17, 1863.

HOSTETTER'S
CELEBRATED
STOMACH
BITTERS.
A pure and powerful Tonic, corrective and alterative, of wonderful efficacy in disease of the
STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS.
Cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Headache, General Debility, Nervousness, Depression of Spirits, Constipation, Colic, Intermittent Fevers, Cramps and Spasms, and all Complaints of either Sex, arising from Bodily Weakness, whether inherent in the system or produced by special causes.

NOTHING that is not wholesome, genial and restorative in its nature enters into the composition of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. This popular preparation contains no mineral of any kind; no deadly botanical element; no fiery excitant; but it is a combination of the extracts of rare balsamic herbs and plants with the purest and mildest of all diffusive stimulants.
It is well to be forearmed against disease, and, so far as the human system can be protected by human means against maladies engendered by an unwholesome atmosphere, impure water and other external causes, HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS may be relied on as a safeguard.
In districts infected with *Fever and Ague*, it has been found infallible as a preventive and irresistible as a remedy, and thousands who resort to it under apprehension of an attack, escape the scourge; and thousands who neglect to avail themselves of its protective qualities in advance, are cured by a very brief course of this marvelous medicine. Fever and Ague patients, after being plied with quinine for months in vain, until fairly saturated with that dangerous alkaloid, are not unfrequently restored to health within a few days by the use of HOSTETTER'S BITTERS.
The weak stomach is rapidly invigorated and the appetite restored by this agreeable Tonic, and hence it works wonders in cases of DYSPEPSIA and in less confirmed forms of INDIGESTION. Acting as a gentle and painless apperient, as well as upon the liver, it also invariably relieves the CONSTIPATION superinduced by irregular action of the digestive and secretive organs.
Persons of feeble habit, liable to *Nervous Attacks, Lowness of Spirits* and *Fits of Languor*, find prompt and permanent relief from the Bitters. The testimony on this point is most conclusive, and from both sexes.
The agony of BILLIOUS COLIC is immediately assuaged by a single dose of the stimulant, and by occasionally resorting to it, the return of the complaint may be prevented.
As a General Tonic, HOSTETTER'S BITTERS produce effects which must be experienced or witnessed before they can be fully appreciated. In cases of *Constitutional Weakness, Premature Decay* and Debility and Decrepitude arising from OLD AGE, it exercises the electric influence. In the convalescent stages of all diseases it operates as a delightful invigorant. When the powers of nature are relaxed, it operates to re-enforce and re-establish it.
Last, but not least, it is *The only Safe Stimulant*, being manufactured from sound and innocuous materials, and entirely free from the acid elements present more or less in all the ordinary tonics and stomachics of the day.
No family medicine has been so universally, and, it may be truly added, *deservedly* popular with the intelligent portion of the community, as HOSTETTER'S BITTERS.
Prepared by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sold by all Druggists, Grocers and Storekeepers everywhere.

HELMBOLD'S
Genuine Preparations.
COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU, a Positive and Speed Remedy for diseases of the Bladder, Kidneys, Gravel and Dropsical Swellings.
This Medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the Absorbents into healthy action, by which the Watery or Calcereous depositions, and all Unnatural Enlargements are reduced, as well as Pain and Inflammation.
HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU.
For Weakness arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion of Abuse, attended with the following symptoms:—
Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Power,
Loss of Memory, Difficulty of Breathing,
Weak Nerves, Trembling,
Horror of Disease, Wakefulness,
Dimness of Vision, Pain in the Back,
Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System,
Hot Hands, Flushing of the Body,
Dryness of the Skin, Eruptions on the Face,
Pallid Countenance,
These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this medicine invariably removes, soon follows
Impotency, Futuity, Epileptic Fits;
In one of which the Patient may expire.
Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "Direful Diseases,"
"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."
Many are aware of the cause of their suffering.
BUT NONE WILL CONFESS THE RECORDS OF THE INSANE ASYLUMS.
And Melancholy Deaths by Consumption bear ample witness to the Truth of the assertion.
The Constitution once affected with Organic Weakness requires the aid of Medicine to Strengthen and Invigorate the System,
which HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU *invariably does.*
A Trial will convince the most skeptical.
FEMALES—FEMALES—FEMALES.
In many Affections peculiar to Females the EXTRACT BUCHU is unequaled by any other remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Painfulness, or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Scirrhous state of the Uterus Leuchorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from Indiscretion, Habits of Dissipation, or in the
DECLINE OR CHANGE OF LIFE.
Take no more Balsam, Mercury, or unpleasant Medicines for unpleasant and dangerous diseases.
HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU AND IMPROVED ROSE WASH CURES
SECRET DISEASES
In all their Stages, At little Expense.
Little or no change in Diet. No inconvenience.
And no Exposure.
It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to Urinate, thereby Removing Obstructions, Preventing and Curing Strictures of the Urethra, allaying Pain and Inflammation, so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling *all Poisonous, Diseased and wornout Matter.*
THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS WHO HAVE BEEN THE VICTIMS OF QUACKS, and who have paid *heavy fees* to be cured in a short time, have found they were deceived, and that the "POISON" has, by the use of "POWERFUL ASTRINGENTS," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and *perhaps after Marriage.*
Use HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU for all affections and diseases of the URINARY ORGANS, whether existing in MALE or FEMALE, from whatever cause originating and no matter of HOW LONG STANDING.
Diseases of these Organs requires the aid of a DIURETIC: HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU IS THE GREAT DIURETIC, and is certain to have the desired effect in all *Diseases for which it is Recommended.*
Evidence of the most reliable and responsible character will accompany the medicine.
PRICE $1 PER BOTTLE, OR SIX FOR $5.
Delivered to any Address, securely packed from observation.
Describe Symptoms in all Communications.
CURES GUARANTEED! ADVICE GRATIS!!
Address letters for information to,
H. B. HELMBOLD, Chemist,
104 South Tenth-st., bel. Chestnut, Phila.
HELMBOLD'S *Medical Depot*,
HELMBOLD'S *Drug and Chemical Warehouse*.
594 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS AND UNPRINCIPLED DEALERS who endeavor to dispose "*of their own*" and "*other*" *articles on the reputation attained by*
Helmbold's Genuine Preparations.
" " Extract Buchu.
" " Sarsaparilla.
" " Improved Rose Wash.
SOLD BY
ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.
ASK FOR HELMBOLD'S. TAKE NO OTHER.
Cut out the Advertisement and send for it.
AND AVOID IMPOSITION AND EXPOSURE.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—Whereas my wife MARY SINGER has sold some of my personal property, without my authority or consent, I hereby warn all persons not to purchase any of my Cows, or other personal property from my said wife, as she has no authority from me to sell the same, and those who purchase from her will acquire no title.
ABSALOM SINGER.
Altoona, Oct. 14, 1863.

Altoona Tribune.

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Having, within the past two years, made considerable addition to our establishment in the way of new fancy type, Screw Press, Paper Cutter, Card Cutter, Ruling Machine, Card Power Press, and large Newspaper Power Press, (a cut of which we give above) we are now prepared to execute anything in the line of printing or ruling in a style equal to any establishment in the state, and at prices equally low. We can execute, on short notice, all styles of

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BLANK BOOKS,
MANIFESTS, AND BLANKS OF ALL KINDS.

All we ask is a trial, feeling confident that we can give satisfaction if we have the opportunity,

Office in Lowther's building, corner of Virginia and Annstreets, opposite Superintendent's Office.

LOCAL ITEMS.

RAILROAD SPEED.—Many fatal accidents occur on railways by persons attempting to drive across when a train is approaching. The danger lies in miscalculating the rate at which a car moves when under full headway, which is said to be about seventy feet, or twice its length in a second.

At this velocity, a locomotive driving wheel, six feet in diameter, makes four revolutions in a second, the piston rod thus traversing the cylinder eight times. If a horse and carriage should approach and cross the track at the rapid rate of six miles an hour, an express train approaching at the same moment would move toward it two hundred and fifty-seven feet while it was in the act of crossing; if the horse moved no faster than a walk, the train would move towards it more than five hundred feet, which fact accounts for the many accidents at such points. When the locomotive whistle is opened at the post, eight rods from the crossing, the train will advance near one hundred feet before the sound of the whistle traverses the distance to, and is heard at the crossing.

SAD ACCIDENT—On Saturday afternoon, says the *Tyrone Herald*, while the Bellefonte train was leaving the station, a number of the boys jumped upon it for the purpose of getting a ride, a habit to which they seem very much wedded, notwithstanding the repeated warnings and expostulation of many mothers. Upon the train getting beyond the engine house they jumped off, in the act of which, one, son of Dr. McVey, was injured by the passing of the wheel over his foot, causing a gash from the toe to the heel eight inches or more in length. Fortunately no bones were broken, yet the point of his heel is very much lacerated, causing intense pain and probably requiring weeks to heal. We would advise all boys in the habit of indulging in the practice of jumping on and off railroad cars while in motion, to pay little James McVey a visit and while witnessing his suffering resolve never again to engage in so dangerous a practice.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.—A few days ago our friend, Rev. A. H. Sembower, stopped at the clothing store of Tuck & Etinger, to purchase some little article in their line, and when about to retire was requested to carry home with him one of the best overcoats in the establishment, which Mr. Few, the gentlemanly young salesman, informed him the members of his congregation had paid for. Mr. S. says the surprise was complete, but he does not feel annoyed, as the coat will be no encumbrance to him during the cold winter days which are fast approaching. He desires us to return thanks to the donors, and to assure them that their gift will be prized, not only for its real worth, but also for the kindness manifested by the givers.

UNITED STATES HOTEL, HARRISBURG.—This convenient and popular house has recently undergone extensive improvements, and has been thoroughly renovated and refitted in handsome style. The gentlemanly proprietors, Messrs. Coverly & Hutchenson, seem determined to do all in their power for the comfort and entertainment of their guests. The table is furnished with every luxury the market will afford, and prepared in the best style. Rooms are well furnished and ventilated, thus making it a first class hotel, and the home of the traveling public, and also of permanent boarders. This house has a peculiar advantage in location, contiguous to business, immediately between the two great depots, only a few steps from each, and perfectly easy of access.

THE CATHOLIC FAIR.—The fair in aid of St. John's Catholic church in this place, will, we understand, commence on Tuesday next, the 10th inst. in the besement of said church, and continue we doubt not, so long as it meets with proper encouragement. The ladies interested in the getting up of the Fair have met with the most liberal aid from the citizens of this and neighboring towns, and in return are determined to make the festive one of the most attractive that has ever been held in this place. Many beautiful and valuable articles, useful as well as ornamental, besides several curiosities heretofore unheard of amongst us, will be on exhibition and for sale.—We bespeak for the Fair a liberal patronage from all classes.

CHANGES.—S. B. Kennedy, Esq., for some time past Train Master of Pittsburgh Division, P. R. R. has resigned his situation, and our clever friend, David Garrett, recently conductor on the Philadelphia Express, has been appointed to Mr. Kennedy's place. We welcome David to Altoona, and hope his sojourn with us may prove agreeable to him.

In this connection we are pleased to note that Andy Gibson, recently Baggage Agent at this station, has received the appointment of extra conductor and reported at Philadelphia. Andy is a whole-souled, clever, merry fellow and will make a popular conductor. Success attend him.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Joseph P. Trout, the Auctioneer, well known to most of the citizens of this county, died suddenly, of cramp-colic, on Monday night last.

MAN KILLED.—A railroad accident occured in the "Narrows," between Lewistown and Mifflin, on Thursday last, by which Dr. S. S. Cummings, of the former place, was instantly killed. He had driven down the Pike to a point below the dam, crossed the river in a skiff and was walking down the track to visit a patient, when he met a Westward bound freight train. He stepped from the track of the freight train and was standing on the other track, looking at the train passing, when the Fast Mail Train Eastward came dashing along on the track on which he was—the engine striking him, fracturing his skull, and instantly killing him.

MAMMOTH CABBAGE.—We are indebted to James Park, of Allegheny Furnace, for two heads of cabbage, weighing respectively eighteen and a half and nineteen and a half pounds. They were "scrougers," and no mistake. They would "scrouge" out of their place a half dozen of the heads generally offered for sale this season. It would not take over twent-five or thirty such heads to make the largest dutchman in the country enough "*Sauer-Kraut*" to do him over winter. If any one can beat the above, in the cabbage line, we should like to see the article. Anderson's potatoes are still ahead in the potato line.

NEW BANK.—The "First National Bank of Hollidaysburg" commenced business on last Monday. Col. William Jack is President and Robert Johnston Cashier. The bank is chartered with a capital of $50,000 with the privilege of increasing it to one hundred thousand. They have not yet commenced paying out the new issue, but will do so in a very few days. For the present the business will be conducted in the building lately accupied by "Johnston, Jack & Co." This bank will meet the wants of business men of the whole county.—*Register.*

BEARS.—David Brown, Jacob Confer and other Nimrods living at Canoe Creek, killed four bears on Thursday last. They (the bears) came down from the mountain probably in search of food, and crossed the turnpike a few rods from Mr. Brown's house, where they were perceived and the dogs started after them. They were soon treed, one after another, and shot. They are thought to be the same "critturs" which a day or two after the election chased George W. Reed, on his way home from this place with the returns.—*Hollidaysburg Register.*

RE-OPENING.—The vestibule and audience room of the Methodist E. Church, in this place, having been papered, painted and otherwise fitted up in the most handsome style, will be opened for divine service on Sabbath morning next, at 11 o'clock. We think that all who visit the Church will agree with us when we say that the audience room is decidedly the neatest outside of the cities, and that there are but few in the cities that surpass it.

ODD FELLOWS' SUPPER.—On Friday evening last, Altoona and Veranda Lodges of Odd Fellows, of this place, partook of an oyster supper at Nagle's hotel. Although but a couple of hours notice had been given for the preparation of the repast, it was very creditable, and all present did ample justice to the delicacies and accompaniments. After an hour or two of social intercourse, the party broke up and members and invited guests retired well pleased with the entertainment.

ACCIDENT.—Henry Brumell, of Williamsburg, was seriously, if not fatally injured on Wednesday last, while engaged in carrying ore from the Springfield Mine Bank to Williamsburg Furnaces. The cars loaded with ore ran off the track, down an embankment, crushing his legs, besides injuring him internally. The poor man has a wife and a number of small children dependent on his labor for that support, which he will at best, be unable to render this winter.—*Register.*

HALLOWEEN.—Saturday night last was hallowe-een, but the boys of this place must have forgotten the return of this celebrated occasion of olden time, as there was but little mischief practiced.—We noticed a few storeboxes thrown into the street, and a fence of boards across Annie street, but this did not differ from the frequent doings of the rowdies of the town.

FIRE.—The roof of the dwelling house of L. H. Williams, Esq., in Hollidaysburg, was considerably damaged by fire on Friday morning last.

CORN FODDER.—Persons wishing to secure a few loads of corn fodder can learn where they may obtain it by calling at this office.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Having disposed of the greater part of our stock of goods, we are anxious to close up our business and hope all persons having accounts on our books will call and settle the same without delay. We have still on hand a good assortment of boots, shoes, notions; also, a few carpets, dry goods &c., which we will sell much below the present regular prices.

J. & J. LOWTHER.

Altoona, Oct. 31st 1863-3t.

DYE COLORS.—Howe & Stevens' Dye Colors, twenty-four different shades.

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FIRE! FIRE!!—Do not risk your property any longer to the mercy of the flames, but go to Kerr and have him insure you against loss by fire.—He is agent for thirteen different companies, among which are some of the best in the United States.

Altoona, July 21,-tf.

MARRIED.

On the 29th ult., in this place, by Rev. A. H. Sembower, WARREN H. WOORE, to Miss JENNIE RIDENOUR.

On the 31st ult., near Duncansville, by Rev. D. H. Barron, Mr. GEORGE C. SMITZ to Miss CLARISSA M. GIBBONEY—daughter of Daniel Gibboney, Esq.

On the 29th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, near Williamsburg, by Rev. William Hunt, Mr. SAMUEL SPARR to Miss JULIAN BIDDLE.

DIED.

At his residence in Catherine township, Blair county, Pa., On the 28th ult., Mr. JOHN CLARK, Sr., in the 78th year of his age.

At Williamsburg, on the 4th ult., Miss JENNIE PATTERSON, (daughter of Thomas and Margaret Patterson,) in the 24th year of her age.

New Goods,

KERR has just received a very handsome lot of new fall goods, which will be sold AT PRICES DEFYING COMPETITION.

Those requiring anything in his line will SAVE CASH by calling soon, as goods will positively be much higher before long.

The newly arrived stock consists of Shirting Flannel, Delaines, Balm'l Skirts, Satinetts, Cassimeres, Prints, Cloaking Cloths, Tweeds, Check, Brown Muslin, Jeans, Ticking, Bleached Muslin, &c.

Call and get a bargain before the goods are all disposed of.

His stock of Groceries is complete, and the attention of the public is directed to the fact that he is selling the BEST RIO COFFEE AT 33 CENTS per pound, SYRUPS from 50 to 75 cts per gallon, and all other goods in proportion.

Altoona, Sept. 16th, 1863.

THE SINGER SEWING MACHINES.

OUR LETTER A FAMILY SEWING MACHINE is fast gaining a world-wide reputation. It is beyond doubt the best and cheapest and most beautiful of all Family Sewing Machines yet offered to the public. No other Family Sewing Machine has so many useful appliances for Hemming, Binding, Fulling, Tucking, Gathering, Gauging, Braiding, Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine has so much capacity for a great variety of work. It will sew all kinds of cloth, and with all kinds of thread. Great and recent improvements make our Family Sewing Machine most reliable, and most durable, and most certain in action at all rates of speed. It makes the interlocked stitch which is the best stitch known. Any one, even of the most ordinary capacity, can see at a glance, how to use the letter A Family Sewing Machine. Our Family Sewing Machines are finished in chaste and exquisite style.

The folding Case of the Family Machine is a piece of cunning workmanship of the most useful kind. It protects the machine when not in use, and when about to be operated may be opened as a spacious and substantial table to sustain the work. While some of the Cases, made out of the choicest woods, are finished in the simplest and chastest manner possible, others are adorned and embellished in the most costly and superb manner.

It is absolutely necessary to see the Family Machine in operation, so as to judge of its great capacity and beauty.

It is fast becoming as popular for family sewing as our Manufacturing machines are for manufacturing purposes.

The Branch Officers are well supplied with silk, twits, thread, needles, oil, &c., of the very best quality.

Send for a PAMPHLET.

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458 Broadway, New York
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Altoona, Nov. 13, 1862. {1.yr.

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DR. THOMAS:—We have used for the past year your Horse Liniment for lameness, kicks, bruises, colic and cuts, and in every instance found it the best article I ever tried in this circus company. Please send six dozen, as it is the only liniment we use now. We have 108 horses, some very valuable, and do not want to leave town without it.

HYATT FROST.
Manager Van Amburg & Co's Menagerie.

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☞ SHAKE AND BURN! Shake and Burn! Shake and Burn!!!

This is the life of agony endured by the sufferer from Fever and Ague. He wanders like an uncertain shadow, never knowing at what moment he may be prostrated, and therefore disinclined to give any serious attention to business. This is the condition of thousands in town and country. It is no exaggeration to say that Fever and Ague kills more than any other twenty diseases in America. For a sure and speedy cure of this terrible affliction, we take great pleasure in recommending HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, which have already achieved a wide reputation for their power effects in renovating the system after such a disease.

For sale by Druggists and dealers generally, everywhere. 1m.

A CARD TO THE SUFFERING.

The Rev. Wm. Cosgrove, while laboring as a Missionary in Japan, was cured of Consumption, when all other means had failed, by a recipe obtained from a learned physician in the great city of Jeddo. This recipe has cured great numbers who were suffering from Consumption, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility and nervous depression caused by these disorders.

Desirous of benefiting others, I will send this recipe, which I have brought home with me, to all who need it, free of charge. Address,

Rev. WM. COSGROVE,
439 Fulton Avenue,
Dec. 23, 1862-1y.] Brooklyn, N. Y.

RAIL ROAD AND MAIL SCHEDULE.

TRAINS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

Baltimore Express West	arrives	6.45 A. M.,	leaves	7.15 A. M.
Philadel'a "	"	7.40 "	"	8.00 "
Fast Line "	"	8.20 P. M.	"	8.35 P. M.
Mail Train "	"	7.00 "	"	7.15 "
Express Train East	"	8.40 P. M.,	leaves	9.00 P. M
Fast Line "	"	1.10 A. M.,	"	1.15 A. M
Mail Trair "	"	8.00 "	"	8.00 "
Through Accom. "	"	10.15 "	"	10.25 "

Trains on Hollidaysburg Branch run to connect with Express Trains West. Mail Train East and West and Thro' Accommodation Train East.

Trains on Tyrone & Clearfield Branch and Bald Eagle Valley R. R. run to connect with Express Train West and Mail Train East and West.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Eastern Through	7.40 A. M.
Eastern Way	7.00 P. M.
Western Way	10.15 A. M.
Western Through	7.40 A. M.
Hollidaysburg	7.30 A. M. & 7.00 P. M.

MAILS CLOSE.

Western Way	7.20 A. M.
Eastern Way	7.20 "
Western Through	7.15 P. M.
Eastern Through	7.15 "
Hollidaysburg	7.30 A. M. & 6.45 P. M.

OFFICE HOURS:—During the week from 6.45 A. M. until 7.30 P. M. On Sundays from 7.30 until 8.30 A. M.

G. W. PATTON, P. M.

Altoona, April 20, 1863.

OH, YES! OH, YES! THIS WAY!

TO THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE, THE PEOPLE IN PARTICULAR, or any one wanting

Choice Family Groceries,
A PRIME QUALITY OF FLOUR,
OR ANY KIND OF FEED,

will save money by calling at the

Grocery, Flour and Feed Store of
M'CUNE & WILSON,

Corner of Clara and Virginia Streets, in the store room known as Johnston Moore's.

The highest cash prices will be paid for Flour, Feed, and all kinds of country produce.

J. MILES M'CUNE.
ALBERT WILSON.
Altoona, Pa., Nov. 4th, 1863. [3 m.]

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE

The subscriber offers at Private Sale a valuable property, situate on Branch St., East Altoona, immediately opposite the Machine Shops.

The house is well built and nearly new, and contains

Fifteen Rooms with Good Cellars.

It is calculated for THREE FAMILIES, and at the most reasonable terms will bring $20 per month rent. There is a well of good water in the yard. Terms easy.

Apply to MICHAEL WYROUGH, on the premises, or to JAMES KEARNEY, at his store, in East Altoona.

July 28, 1863-tf.

A PROCLAMATION!

THE GREATEST CHANCE EVER offered to buy

GOOD JEWELRY AT LOW PRICES!

400,000 Watches, Chains, Lockets, Rings, Bracelets, Jewelry, etc., etc.,

To be sold for one dollar each!

Catalogues sent free has the list of articles; or send 25 cents for a certificate which informs you the article you can have for $1.00. Each certificate, containing the name and value of an article, is put into an envelope, sealed up and mixed; then when ordered, is taken without choice and sent you by mail. Five certificates sent for $1.00

AGENTS WANTED. Address

H. J. HARPER & CO.,
P. O. Box. 5219. 208 Broadway, NEW YORK.
November 4th, 1863.-1m.

MANHOOD:

HOW LOST! HOW RESTORED!

Just Published, in a Sealed Envelope. Price Six Cents.

A Lecture on the Nature, Treatment and Radical Cure of Spermatorrhœa or Seminal Weakness, Involuntary Emissions, Sexual Debility, and Impediments to Marriage generally, Nervousness, Consumption, Epilepsy and Fits; Mental and Physical Incapacity, resulting from Self-Abuse, &c.—By ROBT. J. CULVERWELL, M. D., Author of the *Green Book*, &c.

The world-renowned author, in this admirable Lecture clearly proves from his own experience that the awful consequences of Self-abuse may be effectually removed without medicine, and without dangerous surgical operations, bougies instruments, rings or cordials, pointing out a mode of cure at once certain and effectual, by which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically. This Lecture will prove a boon to thousands and thousands.

Sent under seal, in a plain envelope, to any address, on the receipt of six cents, or two postage stamps, by addressing

CHAS. J. C. KLINE,
127 Bowery, New York Post Office Box 4586.
Nov. 4, 1863.-1y.

SOMETHING NEW!

DID YOU SEE BONINE'S SMALL METAL FRAMES and PASSEPARTOUTS for Card Pictures, which he has just received from the City!—and his new lot of PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS?

He has a very nice assortment, and sells them at very reasonable prices.

EVERYBODY ADMIRES THEM!

And the finest lot of FRAMES, for LARGE AND SMALL-SIZED PICTURES, in Altoona. Call and examine to be satisfied, and have your

AMBROTYPE or PHOTOGRAPH

taken. He still has his Room in

Clabaugh's Building,

JULIA STREET, between Virginia and Emma.
Altoona, Oct. 28, 1863.—3m,

R. A. O. KERR,

ALTOONA, PA.,

AGENT for Blair, Cambria, Clearfield, Centre and Huntingdon counties, for the following lines of

TRANSPORTATION BETWEEN EUROPE AND THE UNITED STATES:

Montreal Line of Steamships.
(Galway " "
Sabel & Searles' Line of Sailing Packets.
Washington Line " "
Great Eastern Steamship.

Parties desiring to bring their friends from Europe, or wishing to take an excursion to that country, can secure Tickets at the same rates as are charged at the Offices of the different Lines at the starting points. ☞ Excursion Tickets for the round trip are sold at reduced rates.

Oct. 7, 1863-3m.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following resolution was adopted at a late meeting of the Board of Managers of the Altoona Hall and Market Company:—

Resolved, That the second instalment of 10 per cent. on the stock subscribed for, be made payable on the 20th day of the present month, (May) and that the balance of the subscription be made payable in monthly instalments of 10 per cent each, on the 15th day of each succeeding month, until the whole amount is paid in.

Persons wishing to take stock in the company can still be accommodated, there being a few shares yet unsold.

Altoona, May 19th.-tf. P. T. ROSE, *Treasurer.*

LEWISTOWN MILLS,

LEWISTOWN PA.

FLOUR AND FEED OF ALL KINDS always on hand and for sale at the lowest market prices.

Orders by mail will receive our special and prompt attention.

Sept. 16, 1863-2m. W. B. McATEER & SON, Proprietors.

GREAT PILES OF PANTALOONS for Men and Boys, at LAUGHMAN'S

ALL STYLES CARPETING AND Oil-Cloths can be found at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW WINTER READY MADE Clothing just received at LAUGHMAN'S

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF OVER-COATS can be found at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW GOODS.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he has just returned from the East, where he has been selecting his stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which, for style, quality and price, cannot be surpassed in this neck of country. His stock is much larger than heretofore, and as it is quite an object in these exciting war times, for every one to purchase where they can get

The Best Goods and at the Lowest Prices,

he would say that he can and will sell as low, if not a little lower than any other house in this place. He wishes all to call and see his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident he can offer inducements which will defy competition. His stock consists of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS of every description.
MEN AND BOYS' WINTER WEAR,
LADIES AND MISSES' DRESS SHOES,
MEN AND BOYS' BOOTS AND SHOES,
MEN'S HALF HOSE.
WOMEN'S AND MISSES' WOOL HOSE.
HATS AND CAPS,
BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED MUSLIN,
GINGHAMS AND HEAVY DRILLINGS.

He will sell Ladies Sewed, Heeled Bootees at $1.50@1.75
Kip Pegged..... 1.37@1.50
Men's Boots..... 2.75@3.50
BALMORAL SKIRTS, very low.

GROCERIES.

White and Brown Sugar, Rio Coffees, Syrups, Teas, &c. and everything that is usually kept in a Dry Goods Store, and as cheap as the cheapest.

Altoona, Oct. 7, 1863. J. A. SPRANKLE.

LARGE SIZE

PHOTOGRAPHS AND AMBROTYPES,

Gilt and Rosewood Frames,
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS,
CARTES-DE-VISITES,
ALL STYLES AND SIZES OF

CASES, &C.,

CLABAUGH'S BUILDING,

Julia Street, between Virginia and Emma,

ALTOONA, PA.
ELIAS A. BONINE.

Aug. 4, '63-3m.

CITY DRUG STORE.

DR. E. H. REIGART would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he has recently purchased the Drug Store of Berlin & Co., on Virginia Street, opposite Frias' Hardware Store.

His Drugs are Fresh and Pure,

and he hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.

Call and examine his stock. He has constantly on hand,

DRUGS,
MEDICINES and CHEMICALS,
FINE TOILET SOAPS, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, GLASS, PUTTY, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, CARBON OIL AND LAMPS, NOTIONS, CIGARS,
and every article usually kept in a First-class Drug Store.
PURE WINES AND LIQUORS
for medicinal use.

DOMESTIC GRAPE WINE—PURE—WARRANTED.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS
accurately compounded, at all hours of the day or night.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1863.

Victory Won!

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that they have just returned from the East with their

FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF
HATS & CAPS,
BOOTS & SHOES.

Their stock of HATS & CAPS have been selected with great care, and with the view of suiting all who may favor them with their patronage. Their line of Boots and Shoes is complete.

Their *LADIES' MISSES'* and *CHILDREN'S SHOES* are of City make, and warranted. Their Balmoral Shoes for Ladies and Misses, are just the thing for wet weather and saving health

Thankful to the public for their very liberal patronage heretofore, they hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Store on *MAIN ST.* next door to Bowman's Exchange Hotel. SMITH & MANN.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration have been issued this day to the undersigned by the Register of Blair county, on the estate of BERNARD GARVIN, late of the Borough of Altoona, deceased. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, must present them legally authenticated, for settlement. JAMES GARVIN,

Sept. 16, 1863.—6t.* Administrator.

SUPERIOR STOCK OF LIQUORS.

—JOHN H. FRITCHEY is now able to offer to his customers and the public at large, a stock of the purest liquors ever brought into this market, comprising in part the following varieties

WHISKY—IRISH, SCOTCH, OLD BOURBON.
WINE—PORT, SHERRY, OLD MADEIRA
OTARD, DUPUY & CO. PALE BRANDY.

These liquors can all be warranted; and in addition to these, FRITCHEY has on hand a fine variety of Wines, Whisky and Brandy, of which they solicit the particular attention of the public.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

HAMS! HAMS! HAMS!—Just received, a large lot of Canvassed Sugar-cured Hams of the best brands in market. Every one sold is guaranteed at FRITCHEY'S

MACKEREL—NOS. 1, 2, AND 3, in all sized packages, new, and each package warranted, just received and for sale low by FRITCHEY.

TEAS! TEAS! TEAS!—FRITCHEY is selling Teas superior to any ever offered in Altoona. They are free of adulteration, coloring, or mixture of any kind.

ANOTHER LARGE LOT OF THE CELEBRATED JERSEY HAMS just received and for sale at FRITCHEY'S

CREAM CRACKERS! A fresh supply of these delicious crackers just received and for sale at FRITCHEY'S

IF YOU WANT GOOD COFFEE, pure Teas the best of Chocolate, Syrups and Sugars, go to FRITCHEY'S.

BOSTON CRACKERS—A LARGE supply of these delicious crackers just received and for sale by FRITCHEY.

EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR, FROM the Cove, always on hand and for sale as low as the lowest by FRITCHEY.

COFFEES, SUGARS, AND SYRUPS of all grades, and at reasonable prices, for sale by FRITCHEY.

10 BARRELS PURE CIDER VINEGAR just received and for sale low at FRITCHEY'S.
Sept 1, 1863.

EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR, PUT UP in ¼ Sacks expressly for family use at FRITCHEY'S

WORRELL'S PREPARED COFFEE just received and for sale by FRITCHEY.

SUPERIOR CREAM CHEESE AT FRITCHEY'S.

4 BARRELS PURE WHITE LARD just received and for sale at FRITCHEY'S

FRITCHEY'S NEW STORE, corner of Caroline and Virginia Sts.

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Dr. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT,

THE

GREAT REMEDY

FOR RHEUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA LUMBAGO, STIFF NECK AND JOINTS, SPRAINS, BRUISES, CUTS AND WOUNDS, PILES, HEADACHE, AND ALL RHEUMATIC AND NERVOUS DISORDERS.

For all of which it is a speedy and certain remedy, and never fails. This Liniment is prepared from the recipe of Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Connecticut, the famous bone setter, and has been used in his practice for more than twenty years with the most astonishing success.

AS AN ALLEVIATOR OF PAIN, it is unrivalled by any preparation before the public, of which the most skeptical may be convinced by a single trial.

This Liniment will cure rapidly and radically, RHEUMATIC DISORDERS of every kind, and in thousands of cases where it has been used it has never been known to fail.

FOR NEURALGIA, it will afford immediate relief in every case, however distressing.

It will relieve the worst cases of HEADACHE in three minutes and is warranted to do it.

TOOTHACHE also will it cure instantly.

FOR NERVOUS DEBILITY AND GENERAL LASSITUDE arising from imprudence or excess, this Liniment is a most happy and unfailing remedy. Acting directly upon the nervous tissues, it strengthens and revivifies the system, and restores it to elasticity and vigor.

FOR PILES.—As an external remedy, we claim that it is the best known, and we challenge the world to produce an equal. Every victim of this distressing complaint should give it a trial, for it will not fail to afford immediate relief, and in majority of cases will effect a radical cure.

QUINSY AND SORE THROAT are sometimes extremely malignant and dangerous, but a timely application of this Liniment will never fail to cure.

SPRAINS are sometimes very obstinate, and enlargement of the joints is liable to occur if neglected. The worst case may be conquered by this Liniment in five or three days.

BRUISES, CUTS, WOUNDS, SORES, ULCERS, BURNS AND SCALDS, yield readily to the wonderful healing properties of DR. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT, when used according to directions. Also, CHILBLAINS, FROSTED FEET, AND INSECT BITES AND STINGS.

Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Connecticut,
The Great Natural Bone Setter.

Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Connecticut,
Is known all over the United States.

Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Connecticut,
Is the author of "Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment."

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Cures Rheumatism and never fails.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Is a certain remedy for Neuralgia,

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Cures Burns and Scalds immediately.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Is the best known remedy for Sprains and Bruises.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Cures Headache immediately and was never known to fail.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Affords immediate relief for Piles, and seldom fails to cure

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Cures Toothache in one minute.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Cures Cuts and Wounds immediately and leaves no scar

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Is the best remedy for sores in the known world.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Has been used by more than a million people, and all pronounce it

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Taken internally cures Colic, Cholera Morbus and Cholera.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Is truly a "friend in need," and every family should have it at hand.

Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment
Is for sale by all Druggists. Price 25 and 50 cents.

A FRIEND IN NEED. TRY IT.

DR. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT, as an external remedy, is without a rival, and will alleviate pain more speedily than any other preparation. For all Rheumatic and Nervous Disorders it is truly infallible, and as a curative for Sores, Wounds, Sprains, Bruises, &c., its soothing, healing and powerful curative properties, excite the just wonder and astonishment of all who have ever given it a trial. Over one thousand certificates of remarkable cures, performed by it within the last two years, attest the fact.

TO HORSE OWNERS!

DR. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT FOR HORSES is unrivalled by any, and in all cases of Lameness, arising from Sprains, Bruises or wrenching, its effects is magical and certain. Harness or saddle Galls, Scratches, Mange, &c., it will also cure speedily. Spavin and Ringbone may be easily prevented and cured in their incipient stages, but confirmed cases are beyond the possibility of a radical cure. No case of the kind, however, is so desperate or hopeless but it may be alleviated by this Liniment, and its faithful application will always remove the lameness, and enable the horses to travel with comparative ease.

EVERY HORSE OWNER

should have this remedy at hand, for its timely use at the first appearance of Lameness will effectually prevent those formidable diseases, to which all horses are liable, and which render so many otherwise valuable horses nearly worthless.

DR. SWEET'S

INFALLIBLE LINIMENT

IS THE

Soldier's Friend,

And thousands have found it truly

A FRIEND IN NEED!

CAUTION.

To avoid imposition, observe the signature and likeness of Dr. Stephen Sweet on every label, and also "Dr. Sweet's Infallible Liniment" blown in the glass of each bottle, without which none are genuine.

HUBBARD & CO.,
Sole Proprietors, Norwich, Ct.
MORGAN & ALLEN, General Agents,
☞ Sold by Dr. E. H. REIGART, Altoona, all dealers everywhere.
December 4, 1863.-1y. 48 Cliff Street, New York.

THE Early Physical Degeneracy of AMERICAN PEOPLE.

JUST PUBLISHED BY DR. A. STONE

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute.

A Treatise on the Causes of Early Physical decline of American People: the cause of Nervous Debility, Consumption and Starvation.

This work is one of high moral tone, written in chaste, yet thrilling language, and speaks directly to the moral consciousness of ALL PARENTS and Guardians especially, detailing scientific and reliable aids and treatment for cure.

It will be sent by mail on the receipt of two (3 cent) stamps.

☞ Parents and Guardians! Fail not to send and obtain this book.

☞ Ladies! You too should at once secure a copy of this book.

A Word of Solemn Conscientious Advice to those who will reflect.

A class of maladies prevail to a fearful extent in the community, dooming at least 100,000 youth of both sexes annually to an early grave. These diseases are very imperfectly understood. Their external manifestations, or symptoms are Nervous Debility, Relaxation and Exhaustion; Marasmus or wasting and consumption of the tissues of the whole body; shortness of breathing or hurried breathing on ascending a hill or flight of stairs; great palpitation of the Heart; Asthma, Bronchitis and sore Throat; shaking of the Hands and limbs; aversion to society and to business or study; dimness of eye sight, loss of Memory, dizziness of the Head, Neuralgia, Pain in various parts of the body; Pains in the back or limbs, Lumbago, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, irregularity of the bowels, deranged secretions of the Kidneys and other glands of the body, as Leucorrhœa or Fluor Albus, &c. Likewise Epilepsy, Hysteria and Nervous Spasms.

Now in ninety-nine cases out of every one hundred, all of the above named disorders, and a host of others not named, as Consumption of the Lungs and that most insidious and wily form of consumption of the Spinal Nerves, known as Tabes Dorsalis, and Tabes mesenterica, have their seat and origin in diseases of the Pelvic Viscera. Hence the want of success on the part of old school practice in treating symptoms only.

Dr. Andrew Stone, Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institution, is now engaged in treating this class of modern maladies with the most astonishing success. The treatment adopted by the Institution is new; it is based upon scientific principles, with new discovered remedies; without minerals or poisons. The facilities of cure are such that patients can be cured at their homes, in any part of the country, from accurate descriptions of their case, by letter; and have the medicines sent by Mail or express. Printed interrogatories will be forwarded on application.

☞ Consumption, Catarrh and diseases of the throat cured as well at the Home of the Patients as at the Institution, by sending the Cold Medicated INHALING BALSAMIC VAPORS, with inhaler and ample directions for their use, and direct correspondence.

☞ Patients applying for interrogatives or advice, must enclose return stamps, to meet attention.

☞ The attending Physician will be found at the Institution for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., each day. Sunday in the forenoon.

Address DR. ANDREW STONE.

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute, and Physician for Diseases of the Heart, Throat and Lungs, 96 Fifth Street, Troy, N. Y.

Altoona, Dec. 30th, 1862.-1y.

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OUR CATALOGUE now embraces considerably over *Four Thousand* different subjects (to which additions are continually being made), of Portraits of Eminent Americans, etc., viz:

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PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.

Of these we manufacture a great variety, ranging in price from 50 cents to $50 each.

Our ALBUMS have the reputation of being superior in beauty and durability to any others. The smaller kinds can be sent safely by mail at a postage of six cents per oz. The more expensive can be sent by express.

We also keep a large assortment of

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Friends or relatives of prominent military men will confer a favor by sending us their likenesses to copy. They will be kept carefully and returned uninjured.

FINE ALBUMS MADE TO ORDER for Congregations to present to their Pastors, or for other purposes, with suitable inscriptions, &c. Aug. 18, 1863–6m.

THE UNION FOREVER!

GOOD NEWS!

GODFREY WOLF would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a

CLOTHING STORE,

On Corner of Main and Caroline Streets,

where he will keep on hand a large stock of ready-made clothing consisting of DRESS COATS, PANTALOONS, VESTS, OVERALLS, KNIT JACKETS, &c., at Philadelphia prices.

HATS & CAPS!

I have a large and varied stock of hats and caps which it will be to the advantage of all to examine before purchasing elsewhere. Also, a fine stock of Gents' Furnishing goods, such as shirts, collars, neck-ties, handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, &c.

Determined to sell, I have marked my goods at the very lowest figures, and feel confident that all will be satisfied with the price and quality of my stock.

Altoona, May 23, 1863.

CONFECTIONERY

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INFORM the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that his CONFECTIONERY, NUT and FRUIT STORE, is always supplied with the very best articles to be had, and in great variety. He has also an

OYSTER SALOON

attached to his store, in which he will serve up OYSTERS in the best style during the season.

FRESH-BAKED

BREAD, CAKES, & PIES,

always on hand, at reasonable rates.

He is at all times prepared to supply cakes, candies, &c., for pic-nics and other parties. He invites a share of public patronage, believing that he can render full satisfaction to all.

Remember, his store and saloon is on Virginia street, two doors below Patton's Hall. OTTO ROSSI.

Altoona, April 23, 1863–tf.

NEW FIRM.

HENRY TUCK. DAVID ETTINGER.

THE SUBSCRIBERS BEG LEAVE to inform the public that they have entered into copartnership in the

CLOTHING BUSINESS,

and will continue at the stand heretofore occupied by H Tuck, on Main Street, a few doors above the Exchange Hotel, Altoona.

They have also wholesale and retail store at

No 702 Market Street, Philadelphia,

where they will sell all kinds of ready-made clothing and gents furnishing goods at the very lowest prices.

They will be enabled to sell cheaper than many others from the fact that they manufacture their own goods, and thus save the manufacturers per centage, and all clothing will be warranted well made.

Aug. 4, 1863–tf

J. G. ADLUM,

Notary Public,

ALTOONA, BLAIR CO., PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.

October 1, 1857.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS just received and for sale by

Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses and Shoulder Braces for sale at

1-tf. G. W. KESSLER'S.

NEW STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES for Men and Boys, Ladies and Misses, just rec'd at

LAUGHMAN'

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERVERS for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

HARDWARE.

The subscriber having taken entire charge of the Hardware and Stove and Tin Shop recently under the charge of Price & Winters, on Virginia street, opposite Kessler's Drug Store, and having added largely to his stock is now prepared to supply anything in the Hardware and Cutlery line, such as Handsaws, Axes, Augers, Adzes, Chisels, Squares, Rules, Hammers, Planes, Hinges, Locks, Latches, Files, Knives and Forks, Spoons, &c., &c., all of which he offers on the most reasonable terms.

Persons wishing anything in the Hardware line are requested to call and examine his stock.

He has also added Oils, Paints, Carbon Oil, etc., to his stock, and will dispose of all these articles at a small advance on first cost.

He will also continue the

STOVE BUSINESS,

and will keep on hand an assortment from which any person will be able to select an article to please their fancy.

In the line of

TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE,

EDA R and WILLOW-WARE,

he will always have a large supply, and will make to order anything that may be called for.

Job work in this line promptly attended to.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING,

put up on short notice in the best style.

April 21, 1863.–tf. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

GREAT DISCOVERY!

KUNKEL'S

BITTER WINE OF IRON,

FOR THE CURE OF

WEAK STOMACHS, GENERAL DEBILITY, INDIGESTION, DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM, CONSTIPATION, ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH, AND FOR ALL CASES REQUIRING A TONIC.

This wine includes the most agreeable and efficient Salt of Iron we possess; Citrate of Magnetic Oxide combined with the most energetic of Vegetable tonics, Yellow Peruvian Bark. The effect in many cases of Debility, Loss of Appetite and general prostration, of an efficient Salt of Iron, is most happy. It augments the appetite, raises the pulse, takes off muscular flabbiness, removes the pallor of debility, and gives a florid vigor to the countenance.

Do you want something to strengthen you?
Do you want a good appetite?
Do you want to build up your constitution?
Do you want to feel well?
Do you want to get rid of nervousness?
Do you want energy?
Do you want to sleep well?
Do you want a brisk and vigorous feeling?
If you do, try

KUNKEL'S BITTER WINE OF IRON.

This truly valuable Tonic has been so thoroughly tested by all classes of the community, that it is now deemed indispensable as a Tonic medicine. It costs but little, purifies the blood, gives tone to the stomach, renovates the system, and prolongs life. I now only ask a trial of this valuable Tonic.

COUNTERFEITS.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.—As KUNKEL'S BITTER WINE OF IRON is the only sure and effectual remedy in the known world for the permanent cure of *Dyspepsia and Debility*, and as there are a number of imitations offered to the public, we would caution the community to purchase none but the genuine article, manufactured by S. A. KUNKEL, and which has his stamp on the top of the cork of every bottle. The very fact that others are attempting to imitate this valuable remedy, proves its worth and speaks volumes in its favor.

THE BITTER WINE OF IRON is put up in 75 cent and $1.00 bottles, and sold by all respectable Druggists throughout the country. Be particular that every bottle bears the *fac simile* of the proprietor's signature.

General Depot, No. 118 Market St., Harrisburg, Pa.

☞ For Sale by GEO. W. KESSLER, E. H. REIGART, Altoona, and by all respectable dealers everywhere.

Sept. 30, 1863—6m.

EMPORIUM OF FASHION!!

Virginia St., Altoona, Pa.

D. W. A. BELFORD, Proprietor.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EMPORIUM OF FASHION" would respectfully announce to the public that he has received a large invoice of

CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
VESTINGS,

and a general assortment of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Collars, Neck-Ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c., &c.,

exactly suited to this locality and intended for the

AUTUMN AND WINTER TRADE.

The proprietor of the Emporium invites an examination of his stock, feeling confident that his shelves present a greater variety of plain and fancy goods than can be found elsewhere in the country. An examination will convince any one of this fact.

He has also received the

LATEST FASHION,

and being a perfect "Cutter," he has no hesitancy in saying that he can make up clothing in the fashion, and in a manner that can not fail to prove satisfactory. It has passed into a proverb that

Belford's the very man that can make,
Clothes in the fashion, strong and cheap;
All that have ever tried him yet,
Say that he really cant be beat.

Remember the place, Virginia street, first door above Jaggard's Hall, Altoona, Pa. [April 17, '62.

HARDWARE!

HARDWARE

CHARLES J. MANN,

DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE,

WOODEN WARE, BROOMS,
WINDOW SHADES,
DOOR MATS,
UPHOLSTERING GOODS,
SHOE FINDINGS,
COFFIN TRIMMINGS,
MOULDERS' TOOLS,
BIRD CAGES AND WIRE GOODS,
WINDOW GLASS,
PUTTY, WHITE LEAD, &C., &C.

☞ Every description of Goods in his line will be furnished at short notice, and at low rates for cash.

His remaining stock of DRY GOODS on hand will be closed out at remarkably low prices, in order to relinquish that branch of the business.

Agent for Willson's "Telegraph Fodder Cutter."

Altoona, May 29th, 1862.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTfully informs the public that he will continue to keep a

BOOT & SHOE STORE,

in the room recently occupied by Roberts and Rutherford. The business heretofore carried on by them will, in the future, be in the name of JOHN H. ROBERTS.

He will keep constantly on hand a complete assortment of

Boots & Shoes,

GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &c., &c., &c.

which he will offer at fair prices and warrant to be of the best material and manufacture. Particular attention will be given to

CUSTOM WORK,

in which he warrants to give entire satisfaction, as he buys the best stock and employs none but the best workmen.

Remember the old stand, on Virginia Street, one door East of Kessler's Drug Store.

Oct. 10 1862-tf. JOHN H. ROBERTS.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.—A large and varied stock of FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, just received, and for sale as cheap as the cheapest, at MURPHY & McPIKE'S Store, Cor. of Virginia and Caroline sts.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF Jewelry, Hair and Clothes Brushes, Combs, Pocket-knives, &c., at LAUGHMAN'S

PLAIN & FANCY VESTS, of every size and style at LAUGHMAN'S.

EXCELLENT HEAVY BOOTS & SHOES just received at LAUGHMAN'S

O, YES! O, YES!!

THIS WAY! THIS WAY!

NEW

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

J. B. HILEMAN has just received a large and well selected stock of Goods, consisting of Cloths, Plain and Fancy Cassimeres, Satinetts, Kentucky Jeans, Tweeds, Beaverteens, Blue Drilling, and all other kinds of Goods for

MEN AND BOYS' WEAR,

together with a grand and magnificent assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

Such as Black and Fancy Silks, Challies, Berges, Brilliants, Lawns, Delaines, Chintzs, DeBeges, Crapes, Prints, Crape and Stella Shawls, Mantillas, Undersleeves and Hosiery, Bonnets and Ribbons, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Kid Gloves, Hooped Skirts, Skirting, Lace Mitts, &c., &c.

ALSO,

Ickings, Checks, Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Cotton and Linen Table Diaper, Crash, Nankeen, &c.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE,
WOOD AND WILLOW WARE,
OIL CLOTHS, CARPETS, &C.

GROCERIES.

Our stock of Groceries is more extensive than ever, and consists of Rio and Java Coffee, Crushed, Loaf and N O. Sugars; Green, Y. H. and Black Teas; Molasses, Soaps, Candles, Salt, Fish, &c.

Thankful to the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore received, he hopes by strict attention to business, and an endeavor to please, to merit a continuance of the same.

☞ Call and examine his Stock, and you will be convinced that he has the best assortment and cheapest Goods in the market.

*** Country Produce of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods at market prices.

Altoona, April 28, 1863.

EXCELSIOR

Hat & Cap Store.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EXCELSIOR" HAT and CAP Store, would inform his customers, and the Public generally, that he has just returned from the city with the largest and most varied stock of goods in his line ever brought to Altoona, all of which he has now on exhibition and sale at his new store room on Virginia street, next door to Jaggard's store. His stock embraces all the latest styles of

FALL AND WINTER

HATS, CAPS,

MISSES' FLATS, &C.

His Stock of Hats and Caps are of the very best selection, of every style, color and shape, for both old and young.

All he asks is that the people call and examine his stock, and he feels confident that he can send them away rejoicing, if not in the purchase of such an article as they wanted, at the remembrance of having looked upon the handsomest stock of Hats, Caps, Flats, &c.. ever exhibited in this town.

I have also on hand an entirely new stock of

Ladies' and Childrens' Hats and Flats,

and a beautiful stock of

LADIES' FURS.

which I am confident cannot be surpassed in the country, all of which I will sell at the most reasonable prices. Remember the Hall of Fashion when you want anything in the line of head covering, and call on

Oct. 7, '63–tf JESSE SMITH.

DURYEA'S MAIZENA

RECEIVED TWO "PRIZE MEDALS,"

(From Juries 3 and 4) at the

International Exhibition, London, 1862,

TRY ONE POUND

BEING THE SOLE AWARDS gained by anything of the kind.

It also received the Superlative Report of EXCEEDING EXCELLENT FOR FOOD.

MAIZENA at the great International Exhibition at

HAMBURG, JULY, 1863,

received the

HIGHEST MEDAL

For its Great Delicacy as an Article of Food.

Used for Puddings, Cakes, Custards, Blanc Mange, &c., without Isinglass, with few or no eggs. Its also excellent for thickening sweet sauces, gravies for fish and meat, soups, &c. For Ice Cream nothing can compare with it.—A little boiled in Milk makes a rich cream for coffee, chocolate, tea, &c. A most delicious article of food for children and invalids. It is vastly superior to Arrow Root and much more economical

Put up in one pound packages, with full directions, and sold by all Grocers and Druggists.

WILLIAM DURYEA, General Agent.

Sept. 9, 1863—6m. 166 Fulton Street, New York.

ESTABLISHED 1760.

PETER LORILLARD,

Snuff & Tobacco MANUFACTURER,

16 & 18, CHAMBERS ST.,

(Formerly 42 Chatham St., New York,)

would call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz.:

BROWN SNUFF.

Macaboy. Demigros, Fine Rappee, Coarse Rappee, Pure Virginia, Nachitoches, American Gentleman, Copenhagen.

YELLOW SNUFF.

Scotch, Honey Dew Scotch, High Toast Scotch. Fresh Honey Dew Scotch, Irish High Toast, or Lundyfoot, Fresh Scotch.

☞ Attention is called to the great reduction in prices of Fine-Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobaccos, which will be found of a superior quality.

TOBACCO.

SMOKING.—Long, No. 1, No. 2, Nos. 1 and 2 mixed, Granulated, S. Jago, Spanish, Canaster, Turkish.

FINE CUT CHEWING.—P. A. L., or plain, Cavendish, or Sweet, Sweet Scented Oronoco, Tin Foil Cavendish.

N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application.

April 14, 63.-1y.]

WM. S. BITTNER

Dental Surgeon.

OFFICE IN MASONIC TEMPLE, next door to the Post Office.

Dr. B. would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he is prepared to insert

ARTIFICIAL TEETH!

from a single tooth to a full set, in the most superior style,

ON GOLD, SILVER, OR VULCANITE BASE.

It would be to the advantage of all persons desiring artificial teeth, to call at his office before going elsewhere, if they wish cheapness, beauty or durability.

Dr. Bittner will visit Hollidaysburg and vicinity when his services are desired. [Feb. 17, 1863–tf.

ANDREW ECKEL,

DEALER IN

Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, &c., &c.,

Annie street, Altoona, Pa., and McKeage's Old Stand, Montgomery street, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT of Goods in his line constantly on hand at the lowest cash prices. [Feb. 7, 1863.

S. M. WOODKOK,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Altoona, Penn'a,

Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon counties. Office on Virginia Street, 2 doors above Julia Street.

Feb. 3, 1863–tf.

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE ALTOONA FAIR VIEW CEMETERY ASSOCIATION will be held on the second Thursday evening of each month, in the Council Room. M. CLABAUGH, Jas. Lowther, President.

Secretary. [May 15-'62]

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

DO YOU WANT A HAT OR CAP, cheap or fine?—go to LAUGHMAN'S.

FRITCHEY IS REALLY SELLING the best Brown Sugar in Altoona at 12½ cents.

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES

R. A. O. KERR,

ALTOONA, PA.,

Agent for Blair & Huntingdon Counties.

THESE MACHINES ARE ADMITted to be the best ever offered to the public, and their superiority is satisfactorily established by the fact that in the last eight years,

OVER 1,400 MORE

of these Machines have been sold than of any other manufactured, and more medals have been awarded the proprietors by different Fairs and Institutes than to any others. The Machines are warranted to do all that is claimed for them. They are now in use in several families in Altoona, and in every case they give entire satisfaction.

The Agent refers those desiring information as the superiority of the Machines, to Col. John L. Piper, Rev. A. B. Clark, George Hawksworth, Benj. F. Rose, and E. H. Turner, Esqrs.

The machines can be seen and examined at the store of the Agent, at Altoona.

Price of No. 1 Machine, silver plated, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$66. No. 2, ornamental bronze, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$55. No. 3, plain, with old style Hemmer—$45. [March 21, 1861-tf.

UNIVERSAL CLOTHES WRINGER.

COG WHEELS! WARRANTED! WITH

No. 1. Large Family Wringer		$10.00
No. 2. Medium	" "	7.00
No. 2½	" "	6.00
No. 3. Small	" "	5.50
No. 8. Large Hotel	" "	14.50
No. 18. Medium Laundry	to run steam or hand.	18.00
No. 22. Large	" "	30.00

Nos. 2½ and 3 have no Cogs. All others are warranted. *No. 2 is the size generally used in private families.

ORANGE JUDD, of the "American Agriculturist," says of the

UNIVERSAL CLOTHES WRINGER

"A child can readily wring out a tubfull of clothes in a few minutes. It is in reality a CLOTHES SAVER! A TIME SAVER! and a STRENGTH SAVER! The saving of garments will alone pay a large per centage on its cost. We think the machine runs more than PAYS FOR ITSELF EVERY YEAR in the saving of garments. There are several kinds, nearly alike in general construction, but we consider it important that the Wringer be fitted with Cogs, otherwise a mass of garments may clog the rollers, and the rollers open the crank-shaft slip and tear the clothes, or the rubber break loose from the shaft. Our own is one of the first make, and it is as GOOD AS NEW after nearly FOUR YEARS' CONSTANT USE."

Every Wringer with Cog Wheels is Warranted in every particular.

NO WRINGER CAN BE DURABLE WITHOUT COG-WHEELS.

A good CANVASSER wanted in every town.

☞ On receipt of the price from places where no one is selling, we will send the Wringer FREE OF EXPENSE.

For particulars and circulars address

R. C. BROWNING, 347 Broadway, N. Y.

Sep. 1—6m.

STOVES,

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has taken the store and shop recently occupied by Fries & Winters, on *Annie street, East Altoona*, where he has on hand a large supply of STOVES *of all Patterns*, such as Cook, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves, which he will sell at the most reasonable prices. A large supply will always be kept on hand.

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, in great variety, always on hand.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice.

He has also attached a copper-smithing room to his establishment and will keep on hand an assortment of copper and brass kettles, &c.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to.

April 21st, 1863.–tf. STEPHEN WINTERS.

C. C. SERVER & SON,

Paper, Envelope and Printers' Card WAREHOUSE,

No. 513, MINOR STREET,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND FLAT CAPS, LETTER AND NOTE, MANILLA PAPER, FOLIO POST, PACKET POST, HARDWARE, FOOLSCAP, PRINTING PAPER, ENVELOPE COLORED PAPER, BINDERS, TRUNK, STRAW AND BOX BOARD, TISSUE, SHOE, AND TEA PAPERS.

PRINTING AND MANILLA PAPER

made to order.

June 16, 1863.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON

MRS. C. BEITER respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Altoona and vicinity that she has opened a

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON,

In Jesse Smith's old Stand, on Virginia street, opposite the

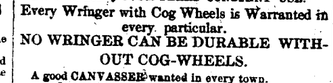
LUTHERAN CHURCH,

where she will keep on hand a choice lot of confectioneries nuts, fruit, cakes, etc., which she will sell at the most reasonable prices.

During the season she will also keep Ice Cream, of different flavors, which she will take pleasure in serving to customers at all hours of the day and evening.

Give me a call, and I will give satisfaction.

April 21st, 1863.–6m.



MUSIC!—INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN on the Piano-Forte and Melodeon, by Miss M. SHOEMAKER. TERMS, $10 per quarter. No charge for the use of the Instrument. Residence on Catharine Street, West Altoona. [Jan. 16, 1862.–tf.

DRIED APPLES.—The subscribers have a fine lo of bright yellow DRIED APPLES, bought at much less than market rates, and which they desire to close out, at cost and carriage, without delay.—Persons desiring to purchase, either at wholesale or retail, will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.] MURPHY & McPIKE.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF Gent's Model Improved SHIRTS—Cassimere and Muslin Shirts—fine and coarse—white and colored—at LAUGHMAN'S.

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome, Green, Yellow, Paris Green, dry and ground oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

MEN AND BOYS' COATS, of every style and color, of good quality, at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW AND IMPROVED STYLES of Trunks, Valises and Carpet-Bags, at LAUGHMAN'S.

AMERICAN

Life Insurance and Trust Co.

COMPANY'S BUILDING Southeast Corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets, Philad'a.

Authorized Capital,	$500,000
Paid up Capital,	250,000
Assets,	1,897,746

Incorporated 1850, by the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

Insures Lives during the Natural life or for short terms, grants annuities and endowments, and makes contracts of all kinds depending on the issues of life.

Policies of Life Insurance issued at the usual mutual rates of other good companies—with profits to the assured—last BONUS January, 1861, being 43 per cent. of all premiums received on mutual policies—at Joint Stock rates, 20 per cent less than the above, or Total Abstinence rates 40 per cent. less than Mutual price. Also, a

NON-FORFEITURE PLAN,

By which a person pays for 5, 7, or 10 years only, when the policy is paid up for LIFE, and nothing more to pay; and should he be unable, or wish to discontinue sooner, the Company will issue a PAID UP POLICY, in proportion to the amount of premium paid, as follows:

On a Policy of $1,000, after payment of	5 Year rates.	7 Year rates.	10 Year rates.
1 Annual Premium, for	$200 00	$142 85	$100 00
4 " " "	400 00	285 70	200 00
4 " " "	800 00	571 40	400 00
6 " " "		857 10	600 00
8 " " "			800 00

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.
SAMUEL WORK, Vice President.

JOHN S. WILSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Alexander Whilldin,	J. Edgar Thomson,
Hon. Jas. Pollock,	Hon. Joseph Allison.
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George Nugent,	John Aikman,
William J. Howard,	Charles F. Heaslitt.

Samuel Work.

Any further information can be had by applying to the undersigned, who is the authorized agent for Blair County.

July 31, 1862-1y R. A. O. KERR.

A Benefit to All.

TRY ONE BOTTLE.

A trial will prove the fact, and facts are stubborn things.

MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS

ARE SUCCESSFUL IN EVERY CASE.

No family should be without it. Hundreds of certificates and letters of thanks are arriving every day from persons who have been cured.

THE HERB BITTERS

have never failed in curing

RHEUMATISM, DYSPEPSIA,

Female Irregularities, and all Diseases arising from

IMPURITY OF THE BLOOD,

As a Blood Purifier, Tonic and General Appertiser, these Bitters are without a rival. No Lady desiring A CLEAR COMPLEXION should be without it. Please get a circular and certificates from our Agent.

H. MISHLER,
Manufacturer and Proprietor,
LANCASTER, PA.

NOTICE.—The great success of Mishler's Herb Bitters, has induced unprincipled parties to manufacture a worthless article, which they are selling at a low price, *of which beware.* The genuine can only be bought in Blair County, of G. W. WHITFIELD,

(Sole Agent for Blair County,)

Depot Drug Store, Main street, Altoona, Pa.

June 2d, 1863–tf.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to fulfil me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26–3m JACOB SNYDER.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table flats and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

SOMETHING NEW.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST returned from the east where he has purchased a very large and fine stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

BROGANS, GAITERS, &C.,

which he is prepared to offer to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity at very low prices. Having purchased direct from the manufacturers for cash, he is prepared to sell at prices that will defy competition. All that he asks is that the people will call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

☞ BOOTS and SHOES made to order on the most reasonable terms. Also, repairing promptly attended to.

Don't forget the place, two doors below Post Office.

Jan. 3, 1861. M. THOMPSON, *Agent.*

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

☞ Subscriptions $2 per annum; $1 for six months, to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly.)

To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,
Editor & Prop'r. of New York Police Gazette.
15–tf] *New York City.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their Agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

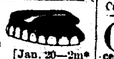
March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances for sale at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER.

Jan. 24, '56–tf]

H. B. MILLER,

DENTIST.



☞ Office on Caroline street, between Virginia and Emma streets, Altoona. [Jan. 20—2m*

ALL KINDS OF PRINTING neatly and expeditiously executed at the "ALTOONA TRIBUNE" OFFICE

UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS, in endless variety, at LAUGHMAN'S.

Altoona, May 1, 1862.

HUTTERS'

STATE CAPITOL

Book Bindery,

AND BLANK BOOK MANUFACTORY.

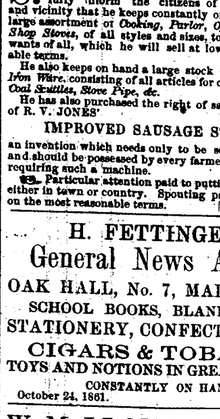
No. 54 Market St., Harrisburg, Pa.

THIS establishment is chiefly devoted to the manufacture of Blank Books for Banks, County Offices, Railroad Companies, and private individuals. In all cases the very best of stock and workmanship may be relied upon. Blank Books printed, paged and bound in any desired pattern. Sheriff's, Attorneys and Justices' Dockets of all sizes, made and ruled to order. Treasurer's and Yearly Assessments, Duplicates, &c., for county purposes, printed or plain, ruled and bound to order. Constable Dockets made of the best linen paper.

Librarians, and others, desiring to have their Books well bound and at moderate prices, should give us a call. Newspapers of the largest size, Harper's Weekly, Gleason's Pictorial, Ballous, Scientific American, London News, bound to order, and in any style required. Harper's Monthly Magazine, Knickerbocker, Blackwood's and Graham's Magazines, Godey's Lady's Book, Lady's Repository, Peterson's Magazine, Piano Music, &c., bound in extra style, or the more plain and substantial half binding. Select Pamphlets, Law Magazines, Pamphlet laws, bound in good Library style, at very moderate prices. Persons having a number of volumes to bind, will receive a liberal discount. Binding can safely be sent to us from a distance by express, and all work entrusted to our care will be speedily executed, safely packed and returned by Express. All work warranted. Address F. L. HUTTER,

Harrisburg, Pa.

☞ McCRUM & DERN, at the *Tribune* Office, are our agents for Altoona and vicinity. They will give information in relation to binding, and receive and return books free from extra charges, for all who entrust their work to my care. [March 21, 1862-1y



HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS

JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney,

Manufacturer of all kinds of PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK, at the lowest possible prices. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction. Hollidaysburg, Jan. 1, 1862.

ONWARD! EVER ONWARD!

STEP BY STEP!

THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRES TO inform his old customers and the public generally that he has this spring gone into the Dry Good business and has just received a large and entirely new stock of

DRESS GOODS,

for the Ladies, embracing all the latest, prettiest and most

FASHIONABLE PATTERNS,

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